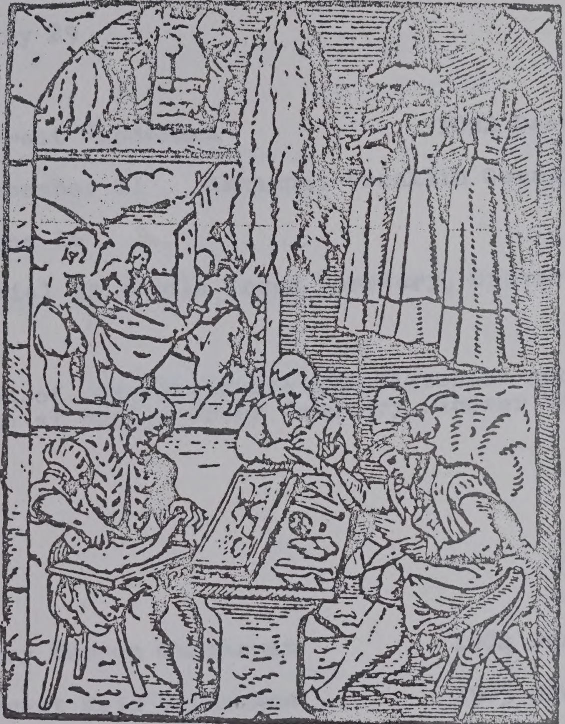
Der Kůrſchner.

"The Furrier"



Wol her/ich fůtter Röck vnd Schaubn/
Mach ſchůrtzbeltz/bruſtthůch/Vehehaubn/
Von Zöbel/Marder/Vehe vnd Lůchſen/
Von Hermlein/Ilter/Wölff vnd Fůchſn/
Von Welſchen Kröpffen vnd Geißfeln/
Von Wam̃en/Růcken/Klaw vnd Keln/
Wer mir thut ſeines Geltes gönnen/
Der thut mich allzeit willig finden.

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reiser
4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdaline Dunkleberger
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Sabina Collison
6-8 Susannah Karshner and Samuel Reid

7-6 Ara Mae Reid

1878 May 28 in Hocking County, Ohio

1960 January 29

m. Jay Forrest Gunderman 1902 December 24

1876 December 11 Gahanna, Franklin County, Ohio

1950 June 16

burial in Middle Creek Cemetery, Grover Hill, Ohio

He the son of George Howell and Elizabeth Rhodes Gunderman
Burial was at Middle Creek Cemetery, Grover Hill, Ohio.

8-1	Harry Burton Gunderman	1904 January 27
8-2	Forrest Reid Gunderman	1905 December 20
8-3	Ruby Elizabeth Gunderman	1908 July 25
8-4	Walter Lee Gunderman	1911 February 4
8-5	Nellie Mable Gunderman	1915 February 6
8-6	Donald Murlin Gunderman	1917 September 27

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reiser
4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdaline Dunkleberger
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Sabins Collison
6-8 Susannah Karshner and Samuel Reid
7-6 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forrest Gunderman

8-1 Harry Burton Gunderman

b. January 27, 1904
d. November 1, 1975

m. Nellie Davis December 31, 1931

b. November 6, 1906 - 1990 September 16

9-1 Robert Lee Gunderman	March 14, 1934
9-2 Joseph Reid Gunderman	February 16, 1937
9-3 Mary Louise Gunderman	June 1, 1938
9-4 Samuel David Gunderman	May 1, 1940

She the daughter of Howard and Maude Kohn Davis. Burial was made in Middle Creek Cemetery, Grover Hill, Ohio.

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reiser
4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdaline Dunleberger
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Sabina Collison
6-8 Susannah Karshner and Samuel Reid
7-6 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forrest Gunderman
8-1 Harry Burton Gunderman and Nellie Rita Davis

9-1 Robert Lee Gunderman

b. March 14, 1934

d.

m. Joane Marie Oberhaus June 2, 1958

b. January 7, 1937

10-1 Cheryl Lynn Gunderman	July 22, 1959
10-2 Dana Lee Gunderman	August 27, 1960
10-3 James Robert Gunderman	December 29, 1963

She the daughter of of John H. and Anna J. Stuart Oberhaus.

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reiser
4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdaline Dunkleberger
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Sabina Collison
6-8 Susannah Karshner and Samuel Reid
7-6 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forrest Gunderman
8-1 Harry Burton Gunderman and Nellie Rita Davis
9-1 Robert Lee Gunderman and Joane Marie Oberhaus

10-1 Cheryl Lynn Gunderman

1959 July 22

m. Bruce A. Ries October , 1978

11-1 Shannon Rene Ries 1985 April 11

11-2 Adam Ries 1988

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reiser
4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdaline Dunkleberger
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Sabine Collison
6-8 Susannah Karshner and Samuel Reid
7-6 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forrest Gunderman
8-1 Harry Burton Gunderman and Nellie Rita Davis
9-1 Robert Lee Gunderman and Joane Marie Oberhaus

10-2 Dana Lee Gunderman

1960 August 27

m. Debra Zeigler June 6, 1981

11-1	Daniel Lee	Gunderman	1985 January 31
11-2	Diedra Lynn	Gunderman	1986 September 8

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reiser
4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdaline Dunkleberger
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Sabina Collison
6-8 Susannah Karshner and Samuel Reid
7-6 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forrest Gunderman
8-1 Harry Burton Gunderman and Nellie Rita Davis
9-1 Robert Lee Gunderman and Joane Marie Oberhaus

10-3 James Robert Gunderman

1963 December 29

m. Lori Lynn Heck 1984

She the daughter of Larry and Jayne Mayhue Heck

11-1 Staci Marie Gunderman 1991 February 5

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reiser
4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdaline Dunkleberger
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Sabina Collison
6-8 Susannah Karshner and Samuel Reid
7-6 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forrest Gunderman
8-1 Harry Burton Gunderman and Nellie Rita Davis

9-2 Joseph Reid Gunderman

b. February 16, 1937

d.

m. Mary Garvey Moeller August 30, 1969

b. August 18, 1939 California

She the daughter of George Scribner and Esther Evelyn Ball Moeller.

10-1 Mark Reid Gunderman 1972 June 13

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reiser
4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdaline Dunkleberger
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Sabina Collison
6-8 Susannah Karshner and Samuel Reid
7-6 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forrest Gunderman
8-1 Harry Burton Gunderman and Nellie Rita Davis

9-3 Mary Louise Gunderman

b. June 1, 1938

d.

m. Carl Meyers July 17, 1959

b. November 6, 1938

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reiser
4-3 Jacob Kershnerand Mary Magdaline Dunkleberger
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Sabina Collison
6-8 Susannah Karshner and Samuel Reid
7-6 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forrest Gunderman
8-1 Harry Burton Gunderman and Nellie Rita Davis

9-4 Samuel David Gunderman

b. May 1, 1940

d.

m. Phyllis Groves April 1963

b. August 15, 1941

10-1 Reed L. Gunderman	August 5, 1965
10-2 Gina Kay Gunderman	August 23, 1969

She the daughter of Herman George and Ruth Haywood Groves

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reiser
4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdaline Dunkleberger
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Sabina Collison
6-8 Susannah Karshner and Samuel Reid
7-6 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forrest Gunderman
8-2 Forrest Reid Gunderman

b. December 20, 1905
d. October 16, 1984 Middle Creek Cemetery
m. Katheryn Louise Davis February 24, 1937
b. February 16, 1913

9-1 Norma Jean Wagner May 4, 1943 (adopted)

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reiser
4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdaline Dunkleberger
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Sabina Collison
6-8 Susannah Karshner and Samuel Reid
7-6 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forrest Gunderman
8-2 Forrest Reid Gunderman and Katheryn Louise Davis
9-1 Norma Jean Wagner

b. May 4, 1943

d.

m. Eddie Butler 1963

10-1 Timothy Gene Butler	January 22, 1965
10-2 Paula Ann Butler	April 16, 1966
10-3 Michael Reid Butler	April 4, 1969
10-4 Amy Jo Butler	December 28, .973
10-5 Mary Kay Butler	February 4, 1980.

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reiser
4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdaline Dunkleberger
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Sabina Collison
6-8 Susannah Karshner and Samuel Reid
7-6 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forest Gunderman
8-3 Ruby Elizabeth Gunderman

1908 July 25

1976 February 18 stroke

m. John N. Buchman 1930 February 26

1904 November 7

both buried at
Live Oak, Paulding, OH

1980 October 16

He the son of John and Caroline Hileman Buchman.

9-1	Richard Joseph Buchman	1930 December 30
9-2	Mary Elizabeth Buchman	1932 August 22
9-3	Raymond John Buchman	1934 September 11
9-4	James Paul Buchman	1936 July 19
9-5	Katheryn Arlene Buchman	1938 July 30
9-6	Ruby Louise Buchman	1940 January 31
9-7	Martin Donald Buchman	1942 July 1
9-8	David N. Buchman	1944 December 6
9-9	Janice Ann Buchman	1948 June 22

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reiser
4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdaline Dunkleberger
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Sabina Collison
6-8 Susannah Karshner and Samuel Reid
7-6 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forrest Gunderman
8-3 Ruby Elizabeth Gunderman and John N. Buchman

9-1 Richard Jospeh Buchman

b. December 30, 1930
d. 1996 February 23 St. Paul's Cemetery
m. Joanne McCarthy 1957 August
b. March 16, 1932

	10-1 Anthony Joseph Buchamn	July 22, 1958
	10-2 Donald Allan Buchman	November 21, 1959
	10-3 Teresa Marie Buchman	December 6, 1960
twins	10-4 Margaret Anne Buchman	January 2, 1962
	10-5 Melanie Elizabeth Buchman	January 2, 1962
	10-6 Laura Jo Buchman	September 24, 1963
twins	10-7 John Gerard Buchman	September 9, 1964
	10-8 Joel Richard Buchman	September 9, 1964

She the daughter of Anthony and Ruth Ehrat McCarthy

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reiser
4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdaline Dunkleberger
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Sabina Collison
6-8 Susannah Karshner and Samuel Reid
7-6 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forest Gunderman
8-3 Ruby Mae [illegible] and John N. Buchman
9-1 Richard Joseph Buchman and Joanne McCarthy

10-2 Donald Allan Buchman

1959 November 21

m. Johanna Venglarcik

11-1 Adam Nichols Buchman August 14, 1980

11-2 Paul Martin Buchman December 1983

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reiser
4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdaline Dunkleberger
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Sabina Collison
6-8 Susannah Karshner and Samuel Reid
7-6 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forest Gunderman
8-3 Ruby Mae Gunderman and John N. Buchman
9-1 Richard Joseph Buchman and Joanne McCarthy

10-3 Teresa Marie Buchman

1960 December 6

m. James Leslie Gallop 1987 October 3

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reiser
4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdaline Dunkleberger
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Sabina Collison
6-8 Susannah Karshner and Samuel Reid
7-6 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forest Gunderman
8-3 Ruby Mae Gunderman and John N. Buchman
9-1 Richard Joseph Buchman and Joanna McCarthy

10-4 Margaret Anne Buchman

1962 January 2

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reiser
4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdaline Dunkleberger
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Sabina Collison
6-8 Susannah Karshner Samuel Reid
76 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forest Gunderman
8-3 Ruby Elizabeth Gunderman and John N. Buchman
9-1 Richard Joseph Buchman and Joanne McCarthy

10-5 Melanie Elizabeth Buchman

1962 January 2

m. David Robert O'Brien 1988 September 17

11-1 Abigail Marie O'Brien 1990 June 19

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reiser
4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdaline Dunkleberger
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Sabina Collison
6-8 Susannah Karshner and Samuel Reid
7-6 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forest Gunderman
8-3 Ruby Elizabeth Gunderman and John N. Buchman
9-1 Richard Joseph Buchman and Joanne McCarthy

10-6 Laura Jo Buchman

1963 September 24

m. Scott Alan Brune 1983 September 9

11-1 Chelsie Caroline Brune 1990 September 2

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reiser
4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdaline Dunklerberger
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Sabina Collison
6-8 Susannah Karshner and Samuel Reid
7-6 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forest Gunderman
8-3 Ruby Elizabeth Gunderman and John N. Buchman
9-1 Richard Joseph Buchman and Joanne McCarthy

10-7 John Gerard Buchman

1964 September 9

m. Angela Lea Krill 1990 September 14

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faast
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reiser
4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdaline Dunkleberger
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Sabina Collison
6-8 Susannah Karshner and Samuel Reid
7-6 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forest Gunderman
8-3 Ruby Elizabeth Gunderman and John J N. Buchman
9-1 Richard Joseph Buchman and Joanne McCarthy

10-8 Joel Richard Buchman

1964 September 9

Catholic Father the Rev. Joel Buchman 1991 July 28

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reiser
4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdaline Dunkleberger
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Sabina Collison
6-8 Susannah Karshner and Samuel Reid
7-6 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forrest Gunderman
8-3 Ruby Elizabeth Gunderman and John N. Buchman

9-2 Mary Elizabeth Buchman

b. August 22, 1932

d.

m. Edward Laukhuf February 17, 1951

b. June 25, 1932

January 6, 1996 Apostalic Cemtery,
Latty, Ohio

10-1 Richard Eugene Laukhuf	May 11, 1952
10-2 Debra Kay Laukhuf	July 13, 1953
10-3 Lori Elaine Laukhuf	March 26, 1956
10-4 Gary Allan Laukhuf	October 1, 1957

He the son of Chris and Josephine Lee Laukhuf

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reiser
4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdaline Dunkleberger
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Sabina Collison
6-8 Susannah Karshner and Samuel Reid
7-6 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forest Gunderman
8-3 Ruby Elizabeth Buchman and John N. Buchman
9-2 Mary Elizabeth Buchman and Edward E. Laukhuf

10-1 Richard Eugene Laukhuf
1952 May 11

m. Jean Marie Kast 1974 June 28

11-1 Alicia Marie Laukhuf April 15, 1977
11-2 Kylee Elizabeth Laukhuf December 29, 1979

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reiser
4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdaline Dunkleberger
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Sabina Collison
6-8 Susannah Karshner and Samuel Reid
7-6 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forest Gunderman
8-3 Ruby Elizabeth Gunderman and John N. Buchman
9-2 Mary Elizabeth Buchman and Edward E. Laukhuf

10-2 Debra Kay Laukhuf

1953 July 13

m. Larry White

Lowell Stockstill

Michael Amilick

11-1	Travis Dale White	November 24, 1975
11-2	Kristin Lee White	October 18, 1979
11-3	Tyler Russell Stockstill	April 30, 1986

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reiser
4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdaline Dunkleberger
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Sabina Collison
6-8 Susannah Karshner and Samuel Reid
7-6 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forest Gunderman
8-3 Ruby Elizabeth Gunderman and John N. Buchman
9-2 Mary Elizabeth Buchman and Edward E. Laukhuf

10-3 Lori Elaine Laukhuf

1956 March 26

m. Dwight David Stoller July 19, 1975

11-1	Carrie Ann	Stoller	June 22, 1976
11-2	Jennifer Rae	Stoller	July 1, 1978
11-3	Natalie Renee Stoller		February 3, 1983
11-4	Allison Leigh Stoller		April 11, 1985

He the son of Wayne and Dorothy Furrer Stoller

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reiser
4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdaline Dunkleberger
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Sabina Collison
6-8 Susannah Karshner and Samuel Reid
7-6 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forest Gunderman
8-3 Ruby Elizabeth Gunderman and John N. Buchman
9-2 Mary Elizabeth Buchman and Edward E. Laukhuf

10-4 Gary Allan Laukhuf

1957 October 1

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reiser
4-3 Jacob Kershner znd Mary Magdaline Dunkleberger
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Sabina Collison
6-8 Susannah Karshner and Samuel Reid
7-6 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forrest Gunderman
8-3 Ruby Elizabeth Gunderman and John N. Buchman
9-3 Raymond John Buchman

b. September 11, 1934

d.

m. Marlene Spengler April 30, 1955

b. February 2, 1935

January 29, 1990

10-1 Shelly Marie Buchman	May 20, 1956
10-2 Daniel Raymond Buchman	September 6, 1961
10-3 Julia Lynn Buchman	March 5, 1965

She the daughter of Robert and Luella Wiseman Spengler

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reiser
4-3 Jacob Kershnad and Mary Magdeline Dunkleberger
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Sabina Collison
6-8 Susanna Karshner and Samuel Reid
7-6 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forest Gunderman
8-3 Ruby Elisabeth Gunderman and John N. Buchman
9-3 Raymond John Buchman and Marlene Spengler

10-3 Julia Lynn Buchman

March 5, 1965

m. Robert W. Baldwin 1985 September 6

11-1

11-2

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reiser
4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdaline Dunkleberger
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Sabina Collison
6-8 Susannah Karshner and Samuel Reid
7-6 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forrest Gunderman
8-3 Ruby Elizabeth Gunderman and John N. Buchman
9-4 James Paul Buchman

b. July 19, 1936

d.

m. Patricia Ann Rohr February 14, 1958

b. December 8, 1934

10-1 Elizabeth Ann Buchman	April 15, 1961
10-2 Robert James Buchman	June 3, 1963

She the daughter of Harry and Margaret O'Neil Rohr

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reiser
4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdaline Dunkleberger
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Sabina Collison
6-8 Susannah Karshner and Samuel Reid
7-6 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forest Gunderman
8-3 Ruby Elizabeth Gunderman and John N. Buchman
9-4 James Paul Buchman and Patricia Ann Rohr

10-1 Elizabeth Ann Buchman

1961 April 15

m Christopher Sidney Walker div.

Steven Pessefall

11-1 Sidney David Walker July 12, 1984

11-2 Sherrie Elizabeth Walker October 1, 1988

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reiser
4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdaline Dunkleberger
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Sabina Collison
6-8 Susannah Karshner and Samuel Reid
7-6 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forest Gunderman
8-3 Ruby Elizabeth Gunderman and John N. Buchman
9-4 James Paul Buchman and Patricia Ann Rohr

10-2 Robert James Buchman

1963 June 3

m. Susan Rae Miller

11-1	Eric Robert	Buchman	November 17, 1984
11-2	Scott Michael	Buchman	November , 1986

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reiser
4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdaline Dunkleberger
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Sabina Collison
6-8 Susannah Karshner and Samuel Reid
7-6 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forrest Gunderman
8-3 Ruby Elizabeth Gunderman and John N. Buchman
9-5 Katheryn Arlene Buchman

b. July 30, 1938

d.

m. James Clark 1956 April 14

b. August [illegible]5,1930

10-1 David James Clark	August 30, 1956
10-2 Barbara Louise Clark	August 28, 1957
10-3 Katherine Marie Clark	October 20, 1958
10-4 Dennis Gerard Clark	November 16, 1960
10-5 Douglas Paul Clark	July 5, 1962

He the son of Leo and Ethel Powers Clark

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reiser
4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdaline Dunkleberger
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Sabina Collison
6-8 Susannah Karshner and Samuel Reid
7-6 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forest Gunderman
8-3 Ruby Elizabeth Gunderman and John N. Buchman
9-5 Kathryn Arlene Buchmand and James Clark

10-1 David James Clark

1956 August 30

m. Phyllis Shaub March 14, 1998

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reiser
4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdaline Dunkleberger
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Sabina Collison
6-8 Susannah Karshner and Samuel Reid
76 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forest Gunerman
8-3 Ruby Elizabeth Gunderman and John N. Buchman
9-5 Kathryn Arlene Buchman and James Clark

10-2 Barbara Louise Clark

1957 August 28

m. Keith William Smith October 20, 1978

11-1	Adam Keith Smith	September 7, 1981
11-2	Andrew James Smith	July 16, 1984
11-3	Alex Smith	1988

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reiser
4-3 Jacob Karshner and Sabina Collison
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Mary Magdaline Dunkleberger
6-8 Susannah Karshner and Samuel Reid
7-6 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forest Gunderman
8-3 Ruby Elizabeth Gunderman and John N. Buchman
9-5 Kathryn Arlene Buchman and James Clark

10-3 Katherine Marie Clark

1958 October 20

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reiser
4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdaline Dunkleberger
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Sabina Collison
6-8 Susannah Karshner and Samuel Reid
7-6 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forest Gunderman
8-3 Ruby Elizabeth Gunderman and John N. Buchman
9-5 KKathryn Arlene Buchman and James Clark

10-4 Dennis Gerard Clark
1960 November 16

m. Tammy Sullivan June 25, 1982

11-1	Kiel James	Clark	1984 March 24
11-2	Megan	Clark	1989 June

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad Kirschner I and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reiser
4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdaline Dunkleberger
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Sabine Collison
6-8 Susannak Karshner and Samuel Reid
7-6 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forest Gunderman
8-3 Ruby Elizabeth Gunderman and John N. Buchman
9-5 Kathryn Arlene Buchman and James Clark

10-5 Douglas Paul Clark
1962 July 5

m. Wendi M. Batt 1984 May 18

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II [redacted]nd Catherine Reiser
4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdaline Dunkleberger
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Sabina Collison
6-8 Susannah Karshner and Samuel Reid
7-6 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forest Gunderman
8-3 Ruby Elizabeth Gunderman and John N. Buchman

9-6 Ruby Louise Buchman

1940 January 31

1956 July 21 burial at Live Oak Cemetery, Paulding

automobile accident

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reiser
4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdaline Dunkleberger
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Sabina Collison
6-8 Susannah Karshner and Samuel Reid
7-6 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forest Gunderman
8-3 Ruby Elizabeth Gunderman and John N. Buchman

9-7 Martin Donald Buchman

1942 July 1

m. Mary Ann Brunner 1976 September 9

9-8 David N. Buchman

1944 December 6

1944 December 24

Live Oak Cemetery
Paulding, Ohio

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reiser
4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdaline Dunkleberger
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Sabine Collison
6-8 Susannah Karshner and Samuel Reid
76 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forest Gunderman
8-3 Ruby Elizabeth Gunderman and John N. Buchman
9-9

Janice Ann Buchman

1948 June 22

m. Kent McMullen 1976 February 14

1941 December 13

8-1 Erin Elizabeth McMillen 1979 September 19

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reiser
4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdaline Dunkleberger
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Sabina Collison
6-8 Susahnah Karshner and Samuel Reid
7-6 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forrest Gunderman
8-4 Walter Lee Gunderman

b. February 4, 1911
d. December 3, 1987
m. Helen Alfreda Dangler June 1939
b. December 14, 1921
February 6, 1998

9-1 Gary Lee Gunderman	February 3, 1940
9-2 Carole Ann Gunderman	October 10, 1941
9-3 Bruce Allan Gunderman	May 1, 1949
9-4 Kelly Elayne Gunderman	February 23, 1959

The daughter of Harry and Opal Fast Dangler

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reiser
4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdaline Dunkleberger
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Sabina Collison
6-8 Susannah Karshner and Samuel Reid
7-6 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forrest Gunderman
8-4 Walter Lee Gunderman and Helen Alfreda Dangler
9-1 Gary Lee Gunderman

b. February 3, 1940

d.

m. Charlotte Gilton September 5, 1964

b. February 22, 1943

twins	10-1 Bradley Scott Gunderman	February 13, 1967
	10-2 Damon Lee Gunderman	Gebruary 13, 1967

The daughter of "Walter" Herschel and Lennie Susan Rowe Gilton

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
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6-8 Susanna Karshner and Samuel Reid
7-6 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forest Gunderman
8-4 Walter Lee Gunderman and Helen Alfreda Dangler
9-1 Gary Lee Gunderman and Charlotte Cilton

10-1 Bradley Scott Gunderman

1967 February 13

m.

11-1 Brandee Celeste Gunderman 1988 December 16

11-2 Randy Gunderman

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reiser
4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdaline Dunkleberger
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Sabina Collison
6-8 Susannah Karshner and Samuel Reid
7-6 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forest Gunderman
8-4 Walter Lee Gunderman and Helen Alfreda Dangler
9-1 Gary Lee Gunderman and Charlotte Gilton

10-2 Damion Lee Gunderman

1967 February 13

m. Regina Carrol 1989 April 26

11-1 Kayla Breann Gunderman 1990 August 16

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reiser
4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdaline Dunkleberger
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Sabina Collison
6-8 Susannah Karshner and Samuel Reid
7-6 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forrest Gunderman
8-4 Walter Lee Gunderman and Helen Alfreda Dangler

9-2 Carole Ann Gunderman

b. October 10, 1941

d. February 14, 1986

m. James Hefner September 2,1962

10-1 James Shawn Hefner	May 1, 1966
10-2 Amy Elise Hefner	December 8, 1968
10-3 Emily Ann Hefner	October 14, 1971

He the son of William Howard and Marjorie Tuttle Hefner

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
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4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdeline Dunkleberger
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Sabina Collison
6-8 Susanna Karshner and Samuel Reid
7-6 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forest Gunderman
8-4 Walter Lee Gundermand and Helen Alfreda Dangler
9-2 Carole Ann Gunderman and James Hefner

10-1 James Shawn Hefner

May 1, 1966

m. September 10, 1988

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reiser
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7-6 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forrest Gunderman
8-4 Walter Lee Gunderman and Helen Alfreda Dangler

9-3 Bruce Allan Gunderman

b. May 1, 1949

d. March 14, 1970 - automobile accident

burial in Blue Creek Cemetery, Paulding County, Haviland, Ohio

ibid
9-4 Kelly Elayne Gunderman
b. February 23, 1959

m. David Baroff

Kenneth Beahrs 1990 December

10-1 Forest Robert Beahrs 1991 February 7

10-2 Quinton Reid Beahrs 1992 January 23

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
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8-5 Nellie Mabel Gunderman

b. February 6, 1915
d. January 16, 2004 88Y 11M 10d

m. Thomas Theotus Covey June 27, 1941

b. September 7, 1913
September 12, 1993

9-1 Celesta Ann Covey August 21, 1942

9-2 James Thomas Covey August 15, 1945

1776 1890

THE NATIONAL SOCIETY OF THE

Daughters of the American Revolution

This certifies that

Nellie M. Gunderman Covey

is a regularly approved member of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, having been admitted by the National Board of Management by virtue of her descent from a patriot who with unfailing loyalty rendered material aid to the cause of American Independence during the Revolutionary War.

Given under our hands and the seal of the National Society this fifteenth day of October 1976

National No. 612953
Admitted October 15th 1976

Jane Farwell Smith
President General

Jeannette Osborn Baylies
Recording Secretary General

Annis Mann Richardson
Registrar General

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner abd Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reiser
4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdeline Dunkleberger
5-1 Enoch Karshner and Sabina Collison
6-8 Susanna Karshner and Samuel Reid
7-6 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forest Gunderman
8-5 Nellie Mabel Gunderman and Thomas Theotus Covey

9-1 Celesta Ann Covey

August 21, 1942 Elementary instructor

m. Robert Franklin Oberlin June 4, 1966

James Covey Takes Bride In Payne

Miss Ruth Ann Baxter and James Covey were married recently in St. James Lutheran Church, Payne, Ohio. Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Baxter, R. R. 2, Paulding, Ohio, and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Covey, Haviland, Ohio.

The bride wore a gown of silk organza and Alencon lace. Scalloped lace outlined the scooped neckline and formed the short sleeves. The skirt, which swept into a chapel train, was detailed with a deep hemline of lace. Her tiered veil of illusion was caught to a tiara of seed pearls. She carried white roses and stephanotis.

Mrs. Robert Oberlin, Stryker, Ohio, sister of the bridegroom was matron of honor and bridesmaids were Miss Sheila Marie Lederman, Spencerville, cousin of the bride and Miss Gloria Mielke, Paulding. All wore gowns of mint green karate with white accessories. Chiffon panels and satin roses detailed the floor length skirts. Mint satin roses held their veils and they carried pink Duchess roses.

Robert Oberlin was best man and ushers were Bill Baxter, brother of the bride, Bruce Gunderman, cousin of the bridegroom, and Mike Parker, both of Haviland. A church reception was held. The couple left for an Eastern honeymoon and will reside on R. R. 2, Paulding. The bride is an elementary teacher in Van Wert (Ohio) City Schools and the bridegroom is employed at Central Mutual Insurance Co., Van Wert.

Mrs. James Covey

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
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6-8 Susannah Karshner and Samuel Reid
7-6 Ara Mae Reid and Jay Forrest Gunderman
8 5 Nellie Mabel Gunderman and Thomas Theotus Covey

9-2 James Thomas Covey

b. August 15, 1945

d.

m. Ruth Ann Baxter June 15, 1968

b. November 9, 1947

She the daughter of Delbert Floyd and Edith F. Yoder Baxter

10-1 Christopher Thomas Covey June 6, 1971
Irving, Texas

10-2 Rebecca Ann Covey 1980 September 28

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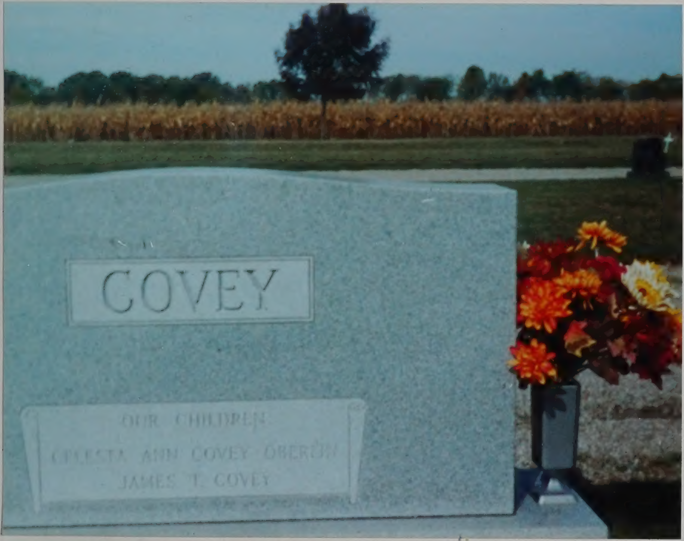
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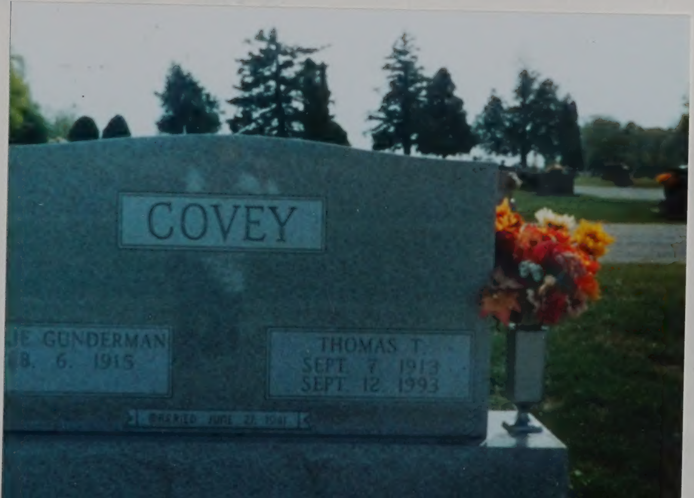
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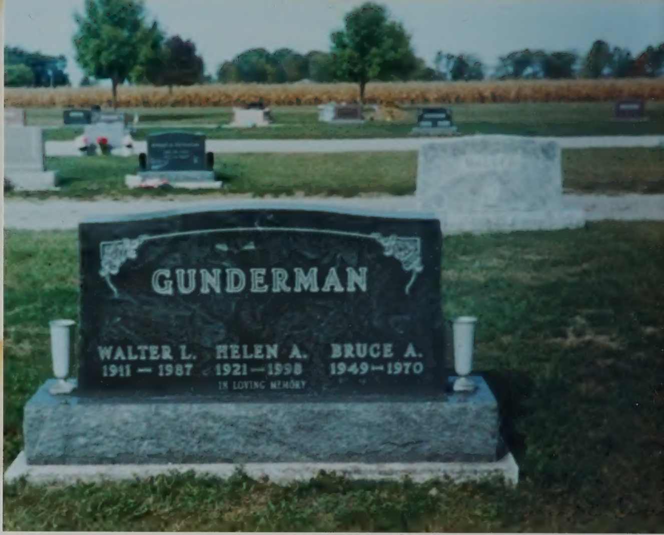
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BRUCE A.
1949 — 1970
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10-k Christopher Thomas Covey

1971 June 6 at Irving, Texas

m. Amy Lynn Davis 1994 August 6

11-1 Jacob Thomas Covey 1997 June 4

11-2 Jenna Nicole Covey 2001 July 2

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8-6 Donald Merlin Gunderman USArmy-European Theater WW 2

September 27, 1917

August 8, 1988

m. Helen Rickles Brown 1963 July 3

July 20, 1920

The daughter of John and Mabel Kreisher Rickles.

She has 3 children from a previous marriage.

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
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8-6 Donald Murlin Gunderman E.T.O. WW2

b. September 27, 1917
d. August 29, 1988 Middle Creek Cemetery

m. Helen Frances Brown July 8, 1963 (widow)

b. July 1, 1920

1 Linda Sue Brown	Stepember 18, 1948
2 Robert Eugene Brown	February 13, 1952
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6-9 Martha Ellen "Aunt Ella" Karshner

b. March 15, 1849 Hocking County, Ohio

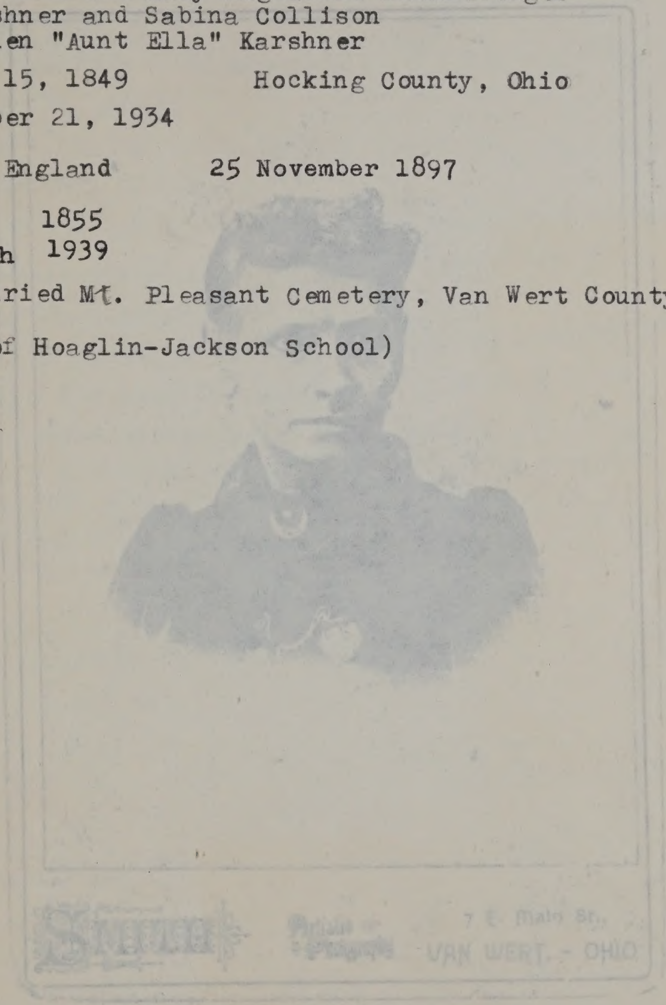
d. December 21, 1934

m. Isaac England 25 November 1897

1855
March 1939

Both buried Mt. Pleasant Cemetery, Van Wert County, Ohio

(north of Hoaglin-Jackson School)



Martha Ellen Karshner
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Isaac England

I had her 1897
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to the Historical
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at Paulding, Ohio
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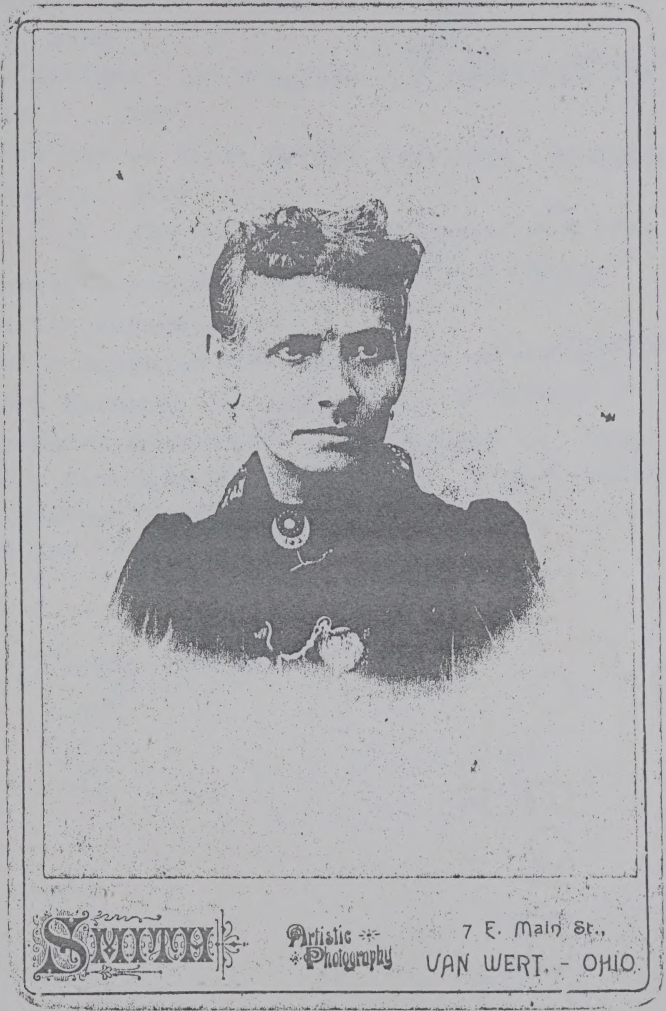
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5-2 Jacob Karshner

b. January 6, 1802 Penna.

d. July 7, 1890

m. Mary Flannigan of Virginia March 13, 1831 MAY Ross Co

4 d. July 11, 1889

Both are buried Green Summit Cemetery, Adelphia, Ross County, Ohio

d. of Geo & Mary Georgia Larrick

3 3 ~~6-1~~ Samuel Karshner 7-14-1837 – 3-2-1929 Approx 1836 1850 census 14 1837 " 13

4 4 ~~6-2~~ Martin Karshner ✓

6 5 ~~6-3~~ Jacob Karshner 11-27-1841 – 12-10-1918 (1839) 1880 Census 39

~~1~~ 2 6-~~4~~ John Karshner 3-24-1834 – 4-3-1913 " " 47 ✓

1 ~~6-5~~ Margaret Karshner b. January 15, 1832

7 ~~6~~ ~~6-6~~ Mary Karshner 7-8-1843 – d. 4.13.1913 " 23, 1924 1843 " 35

8 7 ~~6-7~~ Elizabeth Karshner ✓ 1851 (1848) " 29
10-24-1848, 2-13-1901

5 Susan Karshner 29 1841

1860

Sam m. Mary Hoffman

1841

Salt Creek Twp
Hocking Co Ohio

1870 – Margaret 35
John 33
Samuel 31
Martin 30
Salt Creek
Susan 29
Jacob 28
Mary 25
Eliza 23

1850 –
MARGARET 17
JOHN 16
SAMUEL 14
MARTIN 13
JACOB 11
MARY 9
ELIZA 2

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6-1 Margaret Karshner

b. January 15, 1832

d. January 23, 1924

m. Samuel Reid

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reesor (Reisor)
4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdaline Dunkleberger

5-3 Elizabeth Karshner "Aunt Bet"

b.

d. July 7, 1890 Single. Never married

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5-4 Samuel Karshner

b.

d.

m. Rachael Moore April 10, 1847 Pickaway Co. Ohio

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5-5 Margaret Karshner

Ross Co

m. Killian H. Dunkle 1826 DEC 4

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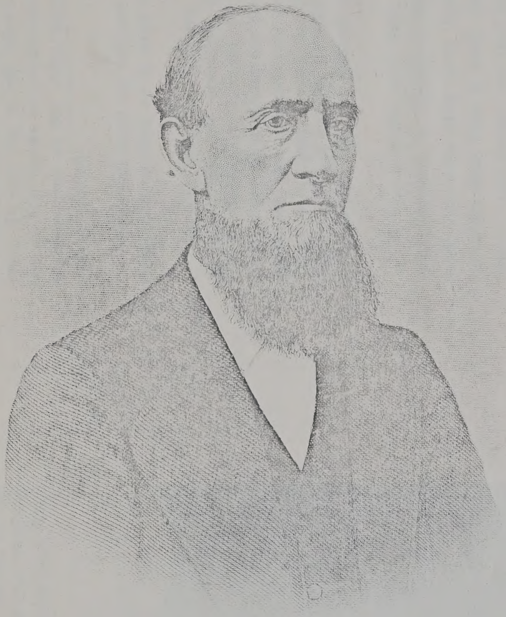

John Karshner

Eng^d by H B Hall & Sons 73 Barclay St N.Y.

"Railroad" John Karshner - brother of our Great Grandfather Enoch Karshner

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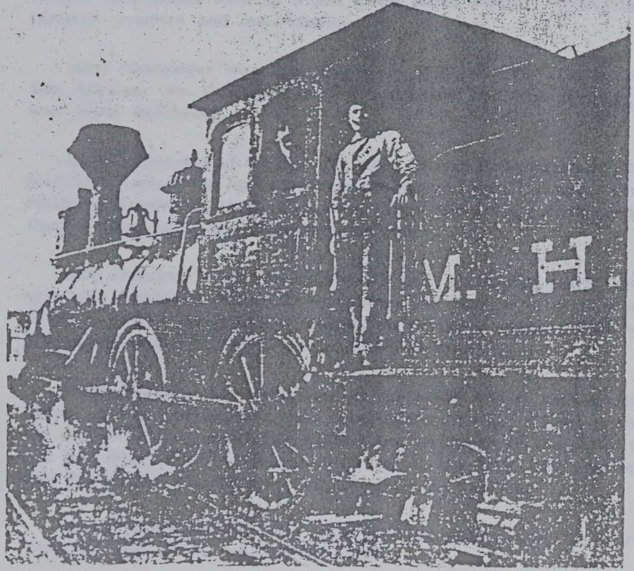
THE K AND A RAILROAD (Kingston-Adelphi)

By James O. Archer

IT WAS EARLY IN OCTOBER, 1882 when the good people of the Adelphi community were rejoicing over the prospects of being a railroad town. It was October when the equipment arrived to start construction on the new railroad. It was the desire of the promoters and builders to connect the coal fields of the Hocking Valley with the present north and south line of the NORFOLK AND WESTERN RAILROAD at Kingston.



Old Susan with Engineer Daniel Markel and Fireman Charles Dent

The following article appeared in the Adelphi Border News issue of December 8, 1882, edited by D. F. Shriner.

"The Cincinnati, Hocking Valley & Huntington Railroad

"Work has begun again on this road and from present appearances, it will be completed at an early day. That part of the road from Kingston to Floodwood, is under the management of Messrs. John Karshner & Co., who have already contracted or sublet the construction to a gentleman by the name of Jeremiah Arn, a man who has had considerable experience as a railroad builder. He has already put a large gang of graders to work between here and Kingston. We have never for a moment doubted the road would ultimately be built, though we felt unable, until now, to determine just how soon. It was and is our conviction, that as soon as it was gotten out of the hands of Niles and placed in those of such practical business men as Mr. John Karshner, it would not be long until it was completed.

"We shall keep our readers posted on the progress of the work, from time to time, as it shall seem of interest." (End of article).

Late in 1885 the railroad was completed from Kingston to Adelphi under the direction of Mr. John Karshner, the builder. Robert Swinehart, Adelphi attorney, son-in-law of John Karshner, handled the legal affairs for the railroad. It has been said that the grade for the railroad was partially completed down Salt Creek Valley to a point beyond the town of South Bloomingville, but the track never got beyond Adelphi, or north end, on the Mineral Spring grounds near the old mineral spring.

It was a single track line with no turntable, hence the engine went forward to Kingston and backward to Adelphi. The train made two trips daily from Adelphi to Kingston, making a stop at Hallsville each time it went back and forth. Once each month the engine, "Old Susan" as 'she' was called, made a trip to Chillicothe railroad shop, over the Norfolk & Western track, for a boiler inspection and general checkup.

The railroad station for Adelphi was located about one-fourth mile north of the village overlooking the Salt Creek Valley to the north and above the old covered bridge. Near the station D. H. Strouse had a general store and lumber, post, tanbark and whooppole yard, where he bought and shipped his purchases.

Editor's note: "whooppole" — Jim, that's a whopping whoople, and so that our readers may know what a whooppole is, we think it should be stated that it was a yard where poles were split to make hoops for barrels and casks, as this was a method used for shipping merchandise. H. B.

The one and only locomotive engine used by the railroad was purchased at a cost said to be $1800 from the Marietta, Hocking and Northern Railroad (now part of the Baltimore & Ohio system. The lettering on the engine was never changed as is evident from the picture of the engine in this volume. For this picture we are greatly indebted to the Norfolk & Western Magazine, who so graciously supplied it for our use. W. R. Sheridan, agent for the Norfolk & Western at Kingston, secured the photograph. The members of the engine crew in the picture are Engineer Daniel Markel and Fireman Charles Dent.

A few freight cars, a red caboose and one passenger coach made up the complete train. The price of a ticket was 40 cents. The passenger car hauled some 20 passengers a day. Considerable freight was hauled such as wheat, corn, posts, lumber, whooppoles, tanbark, produce and merchandise.

John Hunsinger was first engineer; William "Kid" Davis, the first fireman; Mr. Gridley was first conductor, and Phil Hunsinger was night watchman.

Later employees of the railroad were Russell Swinehart and Phil Karshner, (son of the builder), were conductors; Sam Coleman, Arch Hockley, Daniel Markel, engineers; Tom Congrove, Mark Lutz, Charles Dent and Aaron Dukeman, fireman.

Sam Coleman served as roadmaster, Milt Gallagher, track foreman and Clinton O'Daffer, John Gasche and Martin A. Neff were track workers. Many others worked on the road whose names we are unable to find in any of the available records.

When I was a youngster, one of the many stories told of Old Susan, as I remember, was that when the engine got off the track, the engineer blew the whistle, calling the trackmen to the scene to put 'her' back on the track and start her on her way. We are told that the engine was off the rack 14 times on one trip.

It was said that on a clear, quiet day the whistle could be heard from one end of the road to the other.

About 1895 the railroad was offered for sale at public auction due to loss in revenue, and John Karshner purchased the railroad for $75,000, which was the only bid. Mr. John Karshner is said to have invested $30,000 in the venture.

The railroad was abandoned late in 1898 and early in 1899 a wrecking firm in Cincinnati purchased the remains, consigning her iron bones to the scrap yard.

Thus the hopes and dreams of Adelphi as a shipping metropolis came to an end. As we celebrate our Sesquicentennial of Adelphi and Colerain Township in 1954 we can follow the old railroad grade from Adelphi to Kingston except for the trestles that were used in crossing the streams. What a grand hike it would be for a party of history-hounds to make the grand trek once more to Kingston, to the end of the line!

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner andCatherine Bek
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4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdaline Dunkleberger
5-6 John Karshner and Phoebe Swinehart

John Karshner, one of the owners of the first stills in Colrain Township. Mr. Karshner manufactured whiskey, peach and apple brandy. Most of the whiskey was sent west - but during the War of the Rebillion, he shipped large amounts to the "boys" in the army. They said it was far superior to anything else they could obtain.

His father erected the first still in Colrain Township and John passed thru a thorough apprenticeship. He gave up the manufacture of spirits in 1864.

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1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
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4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdaline Dunkleberger

5-6 John Karshner

b. February 23, 1815 Adelphia, Ross County, Ohio

d. May 3, 1909 94 years

m. Phoebe Swinhart 1872
b. May 11, 1852 D. October 8, 1913

Known as "Railroad John"

Both are buried Green Summit Cemetery, Adelphia, Ross County, Ohio

6-1 Marie Karshner

b. 1874

m. J. W. Blue

7-1 Phoebe Annanette Blue

7-2 Dorothy Louise Blue

6-2 Philemon S. Karshner

b. May 9, 1875 - lawyer

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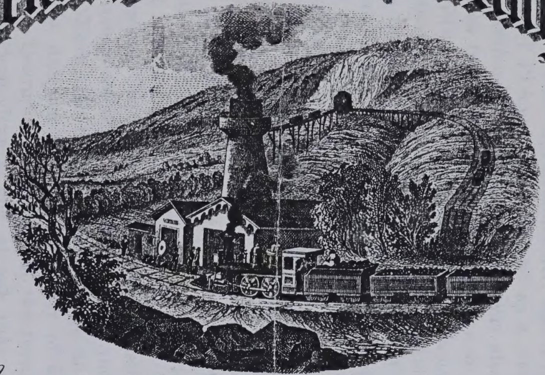
SHARES

Cincinnati Hocking Valley & Huntington Railway Co.



CAPITAL STOCK
$5,250,000.

SHARES
$ 50 EACH.

This is to Certify that ______________________ *is entitled to* ______________ *Shares of* **FIFTY DOLLARS** *each in the Capital Stock of the* **CINCINNATI, HOCKING VALLEY & HUNTINGTON RAILWAY COMPANY,** *transferable only on the books of the Company in person, or by Attorney upon surrender of this Certificate.*

Witness, the Seal of the Company and Signatures of the President and Secretary at ____________ *this* ______ *day of* ______________ *A.D. 18*

Robert Swinehart
Secretary.

President.

Strobridge & Co. Lith. Cincinnati

engaged until the close of the war, when he received his honorable discharge.

After the war he became a teacher, and was also licensed as a local preacher of the Methodist denomination, and supplied a number of pulpits in Ross County and elsewhere. He also served one term as representative of Ross County in State Legislature. His death occurred near Bourneville, May 6, 1898, when sixty-nine years of age. William S. Metcalfe married Patience Igo, who was born near Bourneville, daughter of William and Julia Ann (Mackenzie) Igo. Mrs. Metcalfe is still living, a resident of Chillicothe. She reared six children named, Maud, Lewis, Fred, Wilbur, Alice and Mack.

In his native community of Bourneville Wilbur S. Metcalfe spent his early youth, and graduated from the high school there. Early in his career he adopted farming as his regular vocation, and for a year he rented a place at Frankfort. In 1899 he located on a part of the Christopher Patrick homestead in section 1 of Green Township, and that has been the scene of his successful endeavors as a general farmer and stock raiser for the past seventeen years.

In 1899 Mr. Metcalfe married Mary Patrick, who was born in Salt Creek Township of Pickaway County, a daughter of Christopher and Rachel (Lutz) Patrick. Her maternal grandfather, Samuel Lutz, was a very prominent citizen of Pickaway County, and as a civil engineer surveyed much of that section of the country. He was also active in politics and several times represented Pickaway County in the State Legislature. Another distinction that is associated with his name is that he lived to be one hundred and one years of age. He was strong mentally and physically to the end. Mrs. Metcalfe's father, Christopher Patrick, was a prominent farmer, stock raiser and landowner in Green Township, Ross County, and Pickaway County. His grandfather, William Patrick, emigrated from Maryland and settled near Hallsville. The three sons of Mr. and Mrs. Metcalfe are Myron Charles, Edwin William and Harry Donald. Mr. and Mrs. Metcalfe are members of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and he is affiliated with Kingston Lodge of the Masonic order. He is also performing his share of civic duties as a member of the Kingston School Board.

Philemon S. Karshner. The Karshners, formerly spelled Kershner, came to America from Amsterdam, Holland, through the influence of the wife of William Penn, she having been a native of that city. Three brothers arrived in America with a large party of immigrants in the winter of 1722-23. Conrad, the youngest of the three brothers. settled in Berks County, Pennsylvania, and at one time owned the present site of Wernersville. He married and had ten children, the fifth of whom was Conrad. Conrad married a lady who lived to be one hundred years old. To this union were born eight children, the eldest being Daniel and the second Jacob, the grandfather of the subject of this sketch.

Jacob Karshner was born in Berks County, Pennsylvania, April 27,

1775, and came to Ohio with his brother Daniel in 1807, arriving about the 6th of June. That was five years before the War of 1812, in which he saw active service. He brought with him his wife, whose maiden name was Mary Dunklebarger, born January 12, 1778, and those of their children who had been born in Pennsylvania. They accomplished the entire journey from Pennsylvania with wagons and teams. At that time Ross County was almost on the extreme northern and western line of settlement in all the old Northwest Territory. Jacob Karshner, on arriving, entered the northwest quarter of section 1 of what is now Colerain Township. The patent to this land was signed by Thomas Jefferson, then President of the United States.

The settlers and the forces of the United States Government were even then battling for possession of the lands in the Northwest Territory, and the Indians by no means gracefully retired from the possession of these former hunting grounds. In the year that the Karshner family established itself in Ross County, Robert Fulton made his first successful experiment with the steamboat on the Hudson River. The first railroad in America was not built for nearly twenty years later, and with these points in mind it is somewhat easier to reconstruct the Ross County of that day. There were no markets for the surplus products. Corn and other grains were too bulky to be transported, and the only source of profit was to convert them into meat and drive the stock overland.

Jacob Karshner had four uncles who served in the Revolution. His brother Daniel was a member of the General Assembly of Ohio for the years 1841-1842. The children of Jacob Karshner were Enoch, Jacob, Catherine, Elizabeth, Margaret, Samuel, John, Susan and Margaret, twins. All of them except Catherine lived to a good old age.

John Karshner, who was born in Adelphi, Ross County, February 23, 1815, grew up in that locality. Such education as he had was from the subscription schools maintained in the early days of Adelphi. When still little more than a boy he assumed charge of the affairs at home, his father giving him fifty acres, and with that as a nucleus, he accumulated real estate until at one time he held title to 1,600 acres of fine land. John Karshner was a man of striking individuality, distinguished appearance and of tireless enterprise. He was very successful in business, and public-spirited almost to a fault. When scarcely of age he was elected clerk of the township, an office he filled for eight or ten years, and was then chosen treasurer and then trustee and land appraiser. In 1871 he was elected county commissioner, filling the office for three years. While he was county commissioner the infirmary was built.

He had an ambition to place his home town of Adelphi in touch with the surrounding world by a railroad. He supplied most of the means and the energy toward building a railroad from Kingston to Adelphi. Principally due to his advanced age at the time this enterprise was undertaken, it proved to be unfortunate, and his fine estate was swept away. The railroad was operated for about fourteen years and was then abandoned, and since then Adelphi has been isolated so

far as railroads are concerned. John Karshner died May 3, 1909, at the age of ninety-four.

In 1872 John Karshner married Phoebe Swinehart, a native of Adelphi and of an old family there. Her great-grandfather, John Swinehart, served in the Revolution as a member of the Fifth Battery, Berks County, Pennsylvania, militia. Another great-grandfather, Peter Wheeland, was killed at Forty Fort, Wyoming Valley, Luzerne County, Pennsylvania, while assisting in the defense of the settlement against the British and Indians on July 3, 1778. The wife of Peter Wheeland, and his children, among whom was the grandmother of Phoebe Swinehart, then three years old, escaped across the Susquehanna River in a rowboat and subsequently made their way to Virginia, where in after years this girl, Susan Wheeland, became the wife of Peter Madden. Peter Madden's mother was Esther O'Neil, a member of the noble family of O'Neil in Ireland. Phoebe Swinehart had two brothers who served in the Civil war, one, Demming, dying while in the service. Phoebe Swinehart was born May 11, 1850, and died October 23, 1913.

Philemon S. Karshner, son of John and Phoebe (Swinehart) Karshner, was born at Adelphi, in Ross County, May 9, 1875, and has for many years been a lawyer, while those familiar with his work declare that his ability is of the best. For a number of years he was in practice at Columbus, but owing to ill health, he returned to the old homestead at Adelphi, and while he does not maintain an office, his services are in constant demand by important clients.

Mr. Karshner acquired his early education in the Adelphi public schools, also attended the Columbus Latin School, and subsequently graduated LL. B. from the law department of the University of Michigan. In 1896 he was admitted to the bar. Throughout his professional career he has specialized in corporation law. He is now general counsel for the Citizens Wholesale Supply Company, of Columbus, and the George H. Rundle Company, of Piqua. These are corporations of $500,000 capital each.

While located in Columbus he was counsel for many years for the Marzetti estate, one of the largest estates in that city. He has also assisted the general counsel for the Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Company, one of the largest corporations of America, in a case in the Supreme Court of Ohio. He has had many cases in the Supreme Courts of several of the states and in the United States Circuit Courts and Circuit Courts of Appeal.

Against the advice of one of the ablest lawyers in Pennsylvania and also one of the best lawyers in Ohio, he took a case for a client from the Court of Quaker Sessions in Pennsylvania to the Superior Court of Pennsylvania, then to the Supreme Court of that state, and finally to the Supreme Court of the United States. He was defeated in all the Pennsylvania courts, but the United States Supreme Court, by a unanimous vote, reversed them all and sustained Mr. Karshner's contention. The case was a very important one and involved the commerce clause of the Constitution of the United States. On the opposite side

of the case were Harry S. Knight and Simon P. Wolverton, of Sunbury, Pennsylvania, the latter being one of the best lawyers in Pennsylvania.

Mr. Karshner won the first case under the National Food and Drug Law to reach any of the higher courts. In that case he defeated the State of Iowa in the Supreme Court of that state. The state was represented by its attorney general and by distinguished counsel specially employed for the case.

In a number of instances Mr. Karshner's briefs have been complimented from the bench, and counsel associated with him in cases have said that they have never seen better briefs than he has prepared. Fraternally he is a member of the Kappa Sigma Fraternity of the University of Michigan. Reared on a farm, he has never lost interest in the pursuit of agriculture, and has enjoyed the life and activities of the country. He and his sister now own the homestead which their grandfather secured direct from the Government more than a century ago. The fields are operated through renters, and he occupies the fine house which his father built almost half a century ago.

The late Prof. Frank T. Cole, head master of the Columbus Latin School, declared Mr. Karshner the best Latin scholar that was ever in his school. In 1914 Mr. Karshner was solicited to become the nominee of the democratic party for the office of prosecuting attorney of Ross County, but owing to other matters, was obliged to decline. At the present time he is president of the Colerain Building and Loan Association.

Mr. Karshner has one sister, Marie, who is married to J. W. Blue. They live in Columbus, and have two children, Phoebe Annanette and Dorothy Louise. Edward C. Turner, present attorney general of Ohio, is a cousin of Mr. Karshner.

Newton A. Vaughan. Representing one of the very old families of Southern Ohio, and now an active business man at Adelphi, Colerain Township of Ross County, Newton A. Vaughan has had a very busy career. He was liberally educated, followed farming and stock raising for a number of years, but finally removed to Ross County and has conducted the leading furniture and undertaking establishment at Adelphi for the past fourteen years.

His birth occurred on a farm in Bloomfield Township of Jackson County, Ohio, September 23, 1863. He is a grandson of Thomas Vaughan, who was born in Pennsylvania, of early Welsh ancestry. From Pennsylvania he went in the early days to Ohio, moving with wagons and teams and becoming an early settler in Bloomfield Township of Jackson County. At that time nearly all that section was a wilderness, land could be secured direct from the Government by paying a small fee, and his neighbors secured their meat largely from the wild game in the woods. He bought a tract of timbered land in Bloomfield Township, improved it with a log house, and after getting established in a financial way became prominent in public affairs. He served seventeen years as circuit judge. He lived on his farm in Jackson County until

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reesor (Reisor)
4-3 Jacob Kershner and Mary Magdaline Dunkelberger

5-7 Susannah Karshner (twin to Margaret)

b. August 18, 1816
d. prior to 1909
m. Thomas Evans 1888 May 6

ibid
5-8 Margaret Mary Karshner (twin to Susannah)

b. August 18, 1816
d. July 19, 1901
Single. Never married. Called "Aunt Poll".

ibid

5-9 Catherine Karshner

died young

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reesor
4-4 Anthony (Antioni)

b. 1777 d. 1778

Baptized May 4, 1777 - sponsor Antoni and Phillipine Kershner.
Buried Hain Church, Wernersville, Berks Co., Penna.

ibid

4-5 Elizabeth

b. January 5, 1779 d. May 24, 1822

m. Charles Schumacker, Jr.

b. June 19, 1757 d. November 8, 1822

of Shoemakersville, Berks Co., on November 22, 1801. They began housekeeping in a large log inn which he had built the previous year. In this inn all of their children were born except the two youngest who were born in the new house built in 1820, across the street from the inn. The inn was torn down in 1880 and the Metropolitan Hotel was erected on the site. It is now a clubhouse.

From October 1791 to 1800, Charles Shoemaker, Jr. served as the Representative from Berks Co., and again from 1809 to 1811. In 1812 he became a Senator. He served in the war of 1812 as quartermaster of the Brigade of Pennsylvania troops. commanded by Brig. Gen. John Adams. When he died he had been serving as Associate Judge of Berks Co.

The first hotel in Shoemakersville was the large log inn built by Charles Shoemaker Jr., and conducted by him for many years. The famous Coleman Stage Coach Lines operated from Philadelphia to Womelsdorf, Lebanon, Harrisburg, Lancaster, Easton, Sunbury, and other places in 1828, and established a daily stage from Pottsville via Readint o Philadelphia, making Sheomakersville one of their stopping places.

He later built a brick house opposite the inn on the southwest corner by the mill (now gone) near the Schuylkill River, to which he moved his family and where he died. His wife, Elizabeth, then a widow, left Shoemakersville with her 9 children and noved to her old home then occupied by her brother John Kershner and his family. The farm, "Old Place" was the same land settled by Conrad I in 1744,

A year later when her youngest daughter, Sophia, married Charles Huy Mohr, of Mohrsville, Elizabeth went with her to Mohrsville, where she died. She is buried at Zion Church, beside her husband - near his people and also near her grandfather, Conrad I, at the souht end of the cemtery.

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reesor
4-6 Catherine Kershner

b. April 3, 1781

d. January 24, 1870

m. Jacob Merkel

b. December 21, 1770

d. December 29, 1850

He was the son of Casper and Baltina Merkel.
Both are buried at Moselem Church, Richmond Twp.,
Berks County, Penna.

5-1 John Merkel

5-2 Samuel Merkel

(Berks Co., Treasurer 1867-1869

5-3 Mary Merkel

m. John Kauffman

5-4 Elizabeth Merkel

m. Elijah Moyer

5-5 Hannah Merkel

m. Jacob Leibensperger

5-6 Hettie Merkel

m. Joel Hoch

5-7 Sarah Merkel

m. Joseph Miller

5-8 Susanna Merkel

m. William Rahn

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reesor
4-7 Maria (Mary) Kershner

b. 4 or 5 25, 1784

baptized May 30, 1784 sponsor Maria Engel

d.

m. John Stout (Stoudt) moved to Stoutsville, Ohio

Came from Berks Co., Penna to Ohio June 6, 1806 or 1807, with brothers Jacob and Daniel Karshner

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reesor (Reisor)
4-8 John Kershner

b. February 27, 1789
d. May 27, 1863 (some records read October 12, 1863)

baptized March 20, 1789 - sponsor John and Margarith Hain.

m. Catherine Hertz or Hartz

b. June 5, 1792
d. July 13, 1864

both buried Zion Church Cemetery, Berks Co., Penna

His education and attainments are unusual for his day. He gave private lessons in home to young people, took contracts for stone and brick work - among his buildins was the Zion Schoolhouse, and many other stone buildings in the neighborhood. He and his family lived on the old farm that was settled by Conrad I, until 1830 when he moved to the adjoining farm, south of his farm which he sold. John and Catherine Hertz Kershner family and descendants visited the Ohio cousins - they were a strong and hardy people. The believed in educating their children and are all members of the Reformed Church. Democrats to a man!

John and Catherine had 10 sons and 4 daughters.

5-1 Daniel	December 5, 1814
5-2 John	October 21, 1816
5-3 Henry (Harry)	May 1, 1818
5-4 Catherine (Katie)	May 19, 1820
5-5 Jacob	August 6, 1822
5-6 William (Pringle)	October 29, 1825
5-7 Jeremiah	August 21, 1827
5-8 Elizabeth	June 15, 1829
5-9 Hettie (Esther)	September 7, 1831
5-10 Susan	March 27, 1833
5-11 Samuel	May 12, 1834
5-12/13/14	No record of these three is found, but the parents' tombstone states that they had 10 sons and 4 daughters. Only 7 sons and 4 daughters are recorded.

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reesor (Reisor)
4-8 John Kershner and Catherine Hertz (Hartz)

5-1 Daniel Kershner

- b. December 5, 1814
- d. January 9, 1892
- m. Elizabeth Unbenhauer
  - b. January 1, 1822
  - d. November 25, 1894

both buried at Zion Church, Tucarora.

She is the daughter of Samuel Umbenhauer, who was for 14 years the Postmaster at Tuscarora, Schuylkill Co., Penna.

1-1 johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reesor (Reisor)
4-8 John Kershner and Catherine Hertz (Hartz)

5-2 John Kershner

b. October 21, 1816

d. May 7, 1900

m. Sibilla (Gabrilla) Engle

b. February 7, 1828

d. September 16, 1898

They lived at Leesport, Penna., on the main street - route 122 on the southwest corner where the road turns to West Leesport. He served as County Treasurer of Berks Co., from 1882 to 1884. They had one son:

6-1 Jefferson (Dr. J. Kershner of F & M College)

buried at Gernant Church Cemetery, NE of Leesport.

Note: My father Joseph I Kershner had two horses hitched to a large spring wagon on which he took me, as a boy, to the funeral of John Kershner at Leesport. It was held at his home in the morning. After the funeral we had dinner, and in the afternoon he took us to Shoemakersville, where we attended the funeral of another John Kershner, a nephew of the John of Leesport, who had been an undertaker and a carpenter.

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reesor (Reisor)
4-8 John Kershner and Catherine Hertz (Hartz)

5-3 Henry Kershner (called Harry)

b. May 1, 1818

d. November 14, 1899

Single, lived with his sisters on their fathers farm. This farm had been owned by the Hartz family until 1840 when John sold the "Old Place" and moved to it.

ibid
5-4 Catherine (Katie)

b. May 19, 1820

d. August 31, 1906

Single, lived with Henry and her sisters. She was a member of Zion Church, Perry Twp., where she is buried.

ibid (out of order)

5-8 Elizabeth

b. June 15, 1829

d. April 12, 1915

Single, lived with her brother and sisters on the farm. Buried at Zion Church cemetery.

ibid (out of order)

5-9 Hettie (Esther)

b. September 7, 1831

d. June 19, 1916

Signle, lived with her brother and sisters on the farm. Buried at Zion Church cemetery.

ibid (out of order)

5-10 Susan

b. March 27, 1833

d. June 11, 1913

Single, lived with her brother and sisters. Buried at Zion Church Cemetery.

5-11 Samuel

b. May 12, 1834 d. in childhood

baptized at Zion Church on July 6, 1834, sponsor Maria Hartz, grandmother.

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reesor (Reisor)
4-8 John Kershner and Catherine Hertz (Hartz)

5-5 Jacob Kershner

b. August 6, 1822

d. December 19, 1908

m. Mary Lavenberg

b. March 31, 1828

d. March 1, 1915

They lived at Tuscarora, Schuylkill Co. He was G.A.R. 1861-1865. Both are buried at the Odd Fellows Cemetery at Tamaqua, Schuylkill Co., Penna.

6-1 James Kershner

6-2 Ellen Kershner

6-3 William J. Kershner

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reesor (Reisor)
4-8 John Kershner and Catherine Hertz (Hartz)
5-5 Jacob Kershner and Mary Lavenberg

6-3 William J. Kershner

m. Emma Gardan Weiser

William J. was a minister at the Wernersville, Penna., church for many years, and is buried at the St. John Reformed Church Cemetery at Wernersville, Berks Co., Penna.

7-1 Harold Kershner

7-2 Florence E. Kershner
m. John W. Farry

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reesor (Reisor)
4-8 John Kershner and Catherine Hertz (Hartz)
5-6 William Kershner (called "Pringle")

b. October 29, 1825

d. June 5, 1899

m. Hannah Schappell

b. March 31, 1828

d. March 1, 1915

They lived at Shoemakersville and are buried there. They had three children.

6-1 William Jr. (called "Brinkley")

6-2 Glancy
single, lived in Shoemakersville

6-3 Monroe

1-1 Johannes Kirschner and Gertrudt Faust
2-1 Conrad I Kirschner and Catherine Bek
3-1 Conrad II Kershner and Catherine Reesor (Reisor)
4-8 John Kershner and Catherine Hertz (Hartz)

5-7 Jermeiah Kershner
b. August 21, 1827
d. August 16, 1914
m. Sarah Mengel, daughter of Joseph and Magdaline Mengel
b. September 17, 1829
d. October 25, 1868

m. Esther Mengel, daughter of Martin and Susan Reber Mengel
b. January 28, 1844
d. August 6, 1915

Jeremiah was a well known farmer in Perry Twp., where he lived for years in Windsor Castle. He died at the home of his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Bear of Shoemakersville.

He was a native of Perry Twp. His schooling consisted of the three R's. When a youth he learned his trade as a stonemason, but later, desiring to secure an education, he attended school at White Derr, Union Co., for two years. Later he was a student at Mifflinburg Academy, the White Hall Academy in Cumberland Co., and Freeland Seminary in 1856. He became a school teacher and met with considerable success in his work to which he devoted eleven years. He later farmed in Perry Twp., on a farm located about one mile west of the Zion Church.

He was a great reader and took a deep interest in the events of the day. He was a prominent Democrat, and a leader in the northern section of the county. He was, at one time, mentioned for a Court House office, and attended many conventions under the old delegate system.

He and his family were devoted members of Zion Reformed Church. His funeral was on Saturday, August 1914, from the home of his daughter in Shoemakersville. Intermment at Zion Church Cemetery.

He had one daughter.

6-1 Emma Kershner
b. 1864
d. 1947
m. Benjamin Bear
b. 1867
d. 1937

7-1 Nevin J. Bear
(a civil engineer with the
Memphis Tenn. Transit Co.)

8-1 Rosemary

1-1 Johannes
2-1 Conrad I
3-1 Conrad II
4-9 Sussanah (Susanna) b. 2/27/1789 d. 3/29/1866
m. John Dreibelbis b. 7/22/1787 d. 10/18/1847

She was a twin of Big John, daughter of Conrad II. Both are buried at Dunkels Church cemetery in Greenwich twp.

Their children:

5-1 Hannah b. 4/12/1812 d. 4/17/1894
m. John Heinly

5-2 Ephriam b. 2/1/1815 d. 4/6/1887
m. Mary nee Fister

5-3 Dina b. 1/14/1817 d. 10/5/1877
m. Peter Fister

5-4 Elizabeth b. 11/15/1820 d. 10/10/1828

5-5 Kate b. 8/24/1823 d. 3/10/1903
m. Jeremiah Dietrich

5-6 Ester b. 5/8/1826 d. 7/1/1882
m. Daniel Kershner, son of Conrad III and Maria nee Hix, cousin of Ester. Conrad III and Susanna Dreibelbis were brother and sister. b. 7/11/1808 d. 12/25/1855

Children of Ester and Daniel Kershner:
6-1 Conrad IV
6-2 Susanna
6-3 Maria
6-4 Daniel
6-5 Franklin
6-6 Carl
6-7 John John and Carl died in childhood.

Ester and Daniel are buried at Zion Church. Susanna, (4-9) was baptized at Hain Church on March 20, 1789. (Hain Church Record Book, Page 90).

I - An Informal History of the Pennsylvania Dutch

The peaceful setting of carefully tilled farms, green fields and pink orchards might lead visitors to Pennsylvania Dutch countey into believing that here is a reincarnation of old-time America. But the land was not always so cultivated. It was once a wilderness that required men and wormen of courage and character to tame it.

The two main streams of German immigrants to Pennsylvania were the Anabaptists and the Luterans and Reformed.

The Anabaptists--the Mennonites, Amish and others--were a religious sect of the Palatinate, a region of Bavaria. Because of their unorthodox rdgious beliefs they were subject to horrifying persecution.

Towns and villages were levelled; fields and barns were burned; robbery, killing and rape swept the countryside. In the Thirty Years' War, the population of the Palatinate was reduced from 500,000 to 50,000.

With the Treaty of Westphalia, some respite ensued but then Louis XIV of France ordered his armies into the Palatinate and the devastation began again. The waves of persecutions caused the Anabaptists to desperately search for a place where they could live in peace.

Meanwhile in England, where religious foment was as strong if not as destructive as on the continent, William Penn and received his grant for a colony in the New World. Penn, actively seeking colonists, sent agents to the continent to spread the word of religious freedom in his new colony.

The Mennonites, impressed with Penn's political and religious views, decided to accept his offer. On October 6, 1683, thirteen Mennonite families sailed from Crefeld, where they had been employed as linen weavers. They sailed on the Concord, which might be called the Pennsylvania Dutch MAYFLOWER, and landed at Philadelphia and founded Germantown.

The early arrivals faced many problems--they didn't speak English; they weren't British citizens; they were pacifists, and most important they had to start from scratch. The bitter winter of 1708-09 was a factor in the migration to the west of Philadelphia to present-day Lancaster County. Accounts of that winter say that birds froze in flight, animals died in their dens and men succumbed while walking. Through hard work and dedication the Anabaptists surmounted their difficulties and soon were sending word to their co-religionists to join them.

Thereafter migration grew, but impediments remained. The ships were poorly outfitted for the voyage that often required months. Raging storms, rocky coasts and illness took many lives. Some of the voyagers could not pay their fare and had to

come as redemptioners, pledged to work five or seven years for anyone who would pay their voyage.

Members of Lutheran and Reformed churches started coming to Pennsylvania in the early 1700's, but they were not fleeing persecution because, in Europe, their churches were established. Economic hardship, the ravages of war and the harsh weather caused them to migrate to America.

These immigrants were not "Plain" people, as were the Amish and the Mennonites. They built their churches architecturally similiar to those in Europe in contrast to the Plain people who conducted prayer in members' homes or in austere meetinghouses.

To the Lutheran and the Reformed pioneers goes the credit for the Pennsylvania Dutch handicraft tradition, for much of the economic growth o fhte areas in which they settled and for a great amount of the inventiveness that made Pennsylvania products and customs an integral part of national development.

Moravians completed the settlement by migrating around 1740, primarily as missionaries to bring the Gospel to the Indians and aid congregations of other Protestant denominations especially the Lutherans.

The Germanic tongue remained with the settlers even though they began to learn English in order to converse with the other settlers and to carry on business with the government. As the years went by, the Low German that was used conversationally became infiltrated with English terms. Predominantly German in vocabulary and inflection, became a language all its own, known of course, as Pennsylvania Dutch. This was not the High German of the Bible or of the hymns they sang--it was the argot of the people.

This in turn affected the way persons of Germanic origin spoke English. Neighbors who did not speak the dialect found amusement in such expressions as "outen the light," or "spritz the grass" or "throw the cow some hay the fence over." Amusing or not, Pennsylvania Dutch persisted in use and is still the household and familiar language of Amish.

In addition to being skillful farmers, who tilled fertile lands that the English had passed by, the Pennsylvania Dutch showed ingenuity in industry, through invention, improvement and manufacture of useful--and attractive--products.

One of these was the rifle. Until the early eighteenth Century, rifles had a low degree of accuracy. The guns made by the Pennsylvania Dutch soon became known for their trueness. The guns were first used to bag game, an essential element in feeding a family.

In the French and Indian War, the guns were utilized against human targets. In the Revolutionary War, the guns became known among the British, whose numbers they reduced seriously, as "widow-makers."

This gun was the Lancaster Rifle. But since Daniel Boone, a native of Berks County, carried it onto the bloody ground of Kentucky, and the young nation came to associate it with exploits there, it became most widely known as the Kentucky Rifle.

Another great contribution of the Pennsylvania Dutch was the Conestoga wagon, a carefully constructed vehicle which moved freight and people and in its day was the major element in transportation in the Colonies.

-----from the Introduction to The Pennyslvania Dutch
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1— adolff Dunckelnberg
d. 1686 May 25 809

m. Lisgen

a1. Greta
2. Wicken/Wentgen
m. Margaretha
1. Peter
3. Wilhelm
4. Gertrud
5. Catharina m. Conrad Schwartz
m 7.18.1678
6. Clemensen
m. Catharina Schraff
d. 11.28.1691 age 33
m^{2} catrina Nathrath 5.11.1692

2-3 Wilhelm Dunckelnberg
m. 4.10.1681 Stingen/Christina Hartkopf.
~~buried~~ 9.13.1724-854
Christina buried 3.6.1695 489
m^{2} 10.11.1695 Helena Melchiore

1 Clemens
twin b/a
2
3 Petrius/Peter bap. 2.24 1685 5wks
d. 3.26.1685
4. Wilhelm bap. 6.2. 168

1.8. Dunkelberger, Clement, Jr
Windsor Twp Berks Co
d) 8.3.1801 / 7.28.1801 (m. Anna Maria Catherine Margaretha
Kurtner

m. 1.11.1752
Jr was a Pvt in Revolut war serving Berks
Co Militia he died abt 1801
she died 1.11.1752 - 9.1821
bur. St Peters Ger Ref Ch. near
Landisburg, Perry Co. Pa
12 and possible 14 ch.

11 ch. Reed Bk. X
1. Jacob m Hannah Dunk
2. Catherine Dunk
3 Peter & Anna Maria Featheroff
1.82 4. Jonathan & Mary Dunk
1.83 5. John & Catherine Dunk
6. Benjamin Dunk
7 Elizabeth Dunkel
8 David & Susannah Dunk
9 Jacob Kar & Magdalena K
10 Solomon & Barbara Dunk
11 Susannah wf of Conrad Mull
12 Dorothea Dunk. Stitzer
13 Christena Stitzer dau of Clementz

2- Wilhelm + Christina
3-1

2,

Clemens Dunckelnberg
bap. 9.16.1682
m. 10.5.1704 Margaretha Gatschalck
dau Peter & anna Kirsahner

4 1 Clemens
2. anna Catharina
bap. 1707 + bur 1707
3. anna Catharina
bap. 1708 bur 1708
4. Hans Peter
5. Hans Friedrich
bap. 9.26.1711
d. 1728
an. Martenhause
6. anna Catharina
bap. 3.27.1714
unkn.
7. Wilhelmus bap 1716 bur 1716
8. Johan Jacobus June
bap 1717 d. 10.8.1726
9. abraham bap. 2.6. 1720 bur 4.16.1720
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11. Peter abraham bap. 8.15.1722 Solingen

2006 Kirschner-Kershner-Karshner Reunion News

There has been some misinformation regarding the next family reunion. There will not be a reunion this October as in previous years. The next Ohio reunion will be held. (**June 10, 2007**) in celebration of the 200th. anniversary of the two brothers, Daniel and Jacob arriving from Pennsylvania and settling in Ohio. Two hundred years ago, on June 6, 1807, Daniel Karshner, with wife (Mary) Nancy Ann and children, Daniel Jr., Elijha and John, along with brother Jacob Karshner and his wife (Mary) Poly, with children Enoch, Jacob Jr. and Samuel moved to Ohio. They traveled for thirty days by Conestoga wagon crossing the Cumberland Trail, using the Zane Trace through Ohio when they permanently moved from Berks County Pennsylvania to Salt Creek Valley, Hocking County, Ohio. The settlers from Berks County were only the second wagon train to travel across the newly completed Zane Trace.

The 200th. anniversary in 2007 falls on a Wednesday making it difficult for family members to attend on the actual date. June 10, 2007 was chosen as the closest Sunday to the original date. Please circle this date on your calendar and please plan on attending this year's," Family Reunion." Rolf and Ursel Kirschner, our cousins from Langanselbold, Germany will be attending along with many other Kershner's and Karshner's from all over the country. Help us make it a special celebration.

The location for the June 10, 2007 Family Reunion
The Old Dutch Restaurant & Conference Center
Rt. 664 south, Logan, Ohio 43138
Starting, 12:00 p.m.

The last time we held a reunion at The Old Dutch we received many complements, especially from our out of town cousins on having our own room where food was served buffet style. It's hard to bring food from out of town. We had friendly good service with excellent food making our decision easy to have a reunion there again. The price last time for the buffet was $14.00 for adults, $6.50 for children. More information will follow on the 2007 price after the first of the year. *Please, no checks at this time*. A Visitors guide showing accommodation in the surrounding area will be sent to you after the first of the year. Over 2 million visitors a year visit our seven state parks, Old Mans Cave, Cedar Falls, Ash Cave, Conkle's Hollow, Rock House, Cantwell Cliffs and Lake Logan, making Hocking County one of the largest vacation destinations in the midwest. There our over 600 cabins and many motels to choose from in Hocking County. *Any questions regarding the 2007 Kirschner-Kershner- Karshner Reunion please contact.:*

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Recognize anyone from the last reunion at the Old Dutch?
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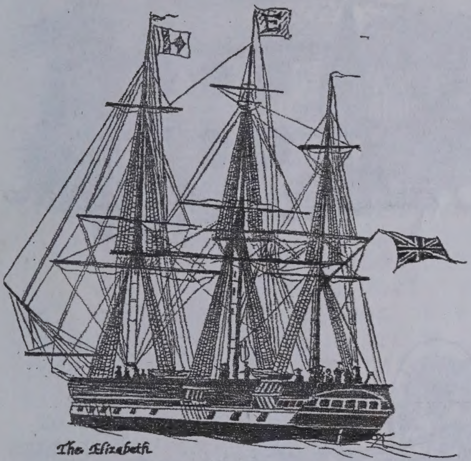
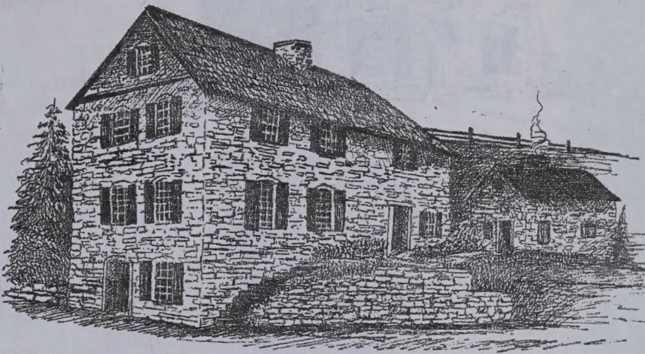
A few of the thirty-five artist renderings by Suzanne Karshner from a historical ficton novel, written by Glenn A. Karshner, based on the lives of Daniel & Jacob Karshner. Book will be in print by the 2007 reunion.

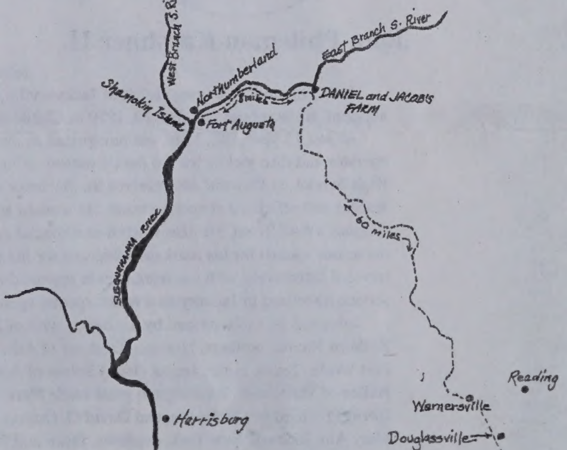

The Elizabeth

The good ship Elizabeth that the Kirschner's sailed from Germany on -1733



Conrad Kershner's farm in Wernersville, Pa. where Daniel & Jacob were raised

Daniel & Jacob waiting in parlor for permission move to Ohio from their father.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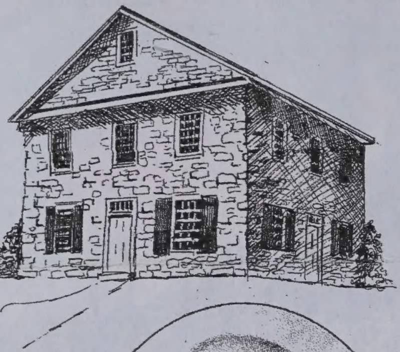
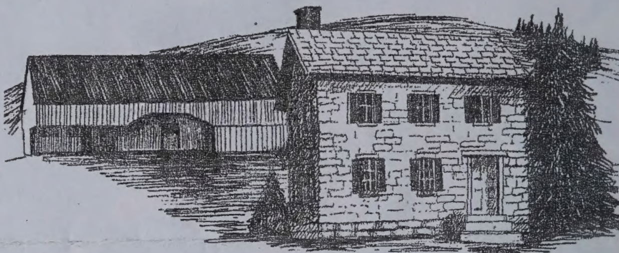
Harrisburg
Douglassville

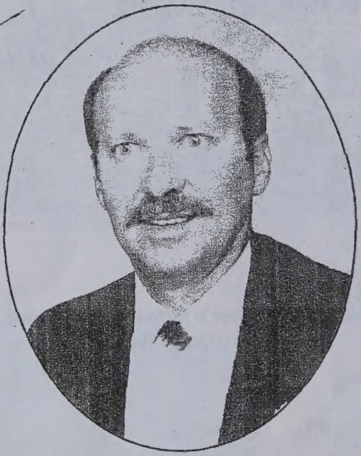
Map where Daniel and Jacob's farm was located in Pennsylvania

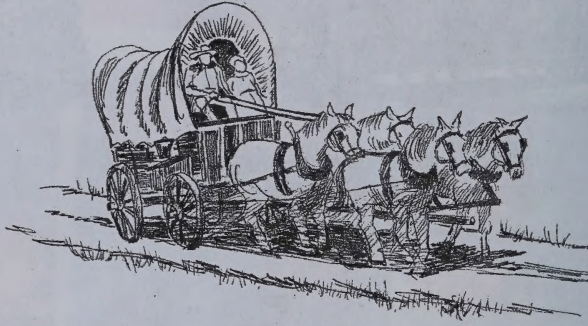
St. Gabriel Episcopal Church in Douglassville, Pa.
Where Daniel & Nancy Ann were married.



Daniel's farm in Laurelville, Ohio. Built
with help of sons Daniel Jr., Elijha & John







John Philemon Karshner II

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John Philemon Karshner II, 54, of Jacksonville, Florida, died suddenly August 29, 2005, as a result of a vehicular accident. He was born October 10, 1950 in Chillicothe to John and Donna Pritchard Karshner of Adelphi.

At just 13 years old, John was recognized as the youngest licensed broadcaster in the nation and was a radio station operator and disc jockey for the family owned radio station, KNIX in Phoenix, Arizona. He was a 1968 graduate of Central High School, in Phoenix and received his Bachelor's degree in Criminal Justice from Ohio University. He also worked as a teacher and officiated at sports events. He worked at the Ross County Sheriff's Department as a deputy and served on the original SWAT Team. He also worked as a special agent for the Ohio Department of Liquor Control. John received numerous awards for his marksmanship and for his work in law enforcement. He previously served on the USS Ranger and traveled extensively with his work. While stationed in Italy, John was a member of the anti-terrorist squad. After 22 years of service he retired in January as a senior special agent for the NCIS (Naval Intelligence).

John will be sadly missed by his loving wife of 24 years, Kimberly Hallen Karshner and their daughters, Kelly Ann and Kathryn Nicole; brothers, Norman Karshner of Adelphi, Philip (Andria) Karshner of Seymour, Indiana, and Vic Karshner of Fort Worth, Texas; sister, Teresa (John) Sulzer of Adelphi; sister-in-law, Karen (Gary) Erdos of Canton; brother-in-law, Dave Hallen of Vancouver, Washington; great-uncle Norman Schrader of Chillicothe; uncles, Charles (Sharon) Pritchard and David Pritchard of Circleville, and David O. (Joyce) Jones of Lancaster; aunts; Marjorie Heckler of Columbus, and Dr. Mary Ann Jones of New York; nephews, Jason and Justin Wiseman (sons of Teresa Sulzer) of Kingston, Jared Karshner, Alex Karshner; nieces, Jessica Karshner and Kristina Karshner and many special cousins. Mr. Karshner was predeceased in death by his grandparents; Charles and Alice Pritchard and Mason and Marie Jones; uncle George Heckler; aunt Sandra Pritchard.

Funeral service will be held Saturday at 1pm at the Adelphi United Methodist Church, with the Revs. Ben Edwards, and Barry Bennett officiating. Interment will follow at the Green Summit Cemetery, Adelphi. Calling hours will be Friday from 6-9pm at the Hill Funeral Home in Kingston. John was happiest on the softball fields watching and coaching his beloved daughters. Friends may make memorial contributions to the Karshner Softball Scholarship Fund at any Bank of America.

Copy of the Warrent of the 1744 Grant:

This indenture made the Day of October in the year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Forty-Four.

Between Christian Rothermel, of the County of Philadelphia in the Province of Pennsylvania, yeoman, of the one part and Conrad Kirschner of the same County, yeoman, of the other part.

Whereas by a certain Patent or Grant bearing date the sixth day of August now last under the Great Seal of the said Province and entered in the Office of Recording of Deeds for the County and City of Philadelphia in Patent Book A, Vol.11, page 400, and John Penn, Thomas Penn, and Richard Penn, Esquires, Proprietaries, and Governors in Chief of said Province, did for the consideration therein mentioned give, grant, release, and confirm unto the said Christian Rothermel a certain tract or parcel of land situated on a Branch of Maiden Creek in the County of Philadelphia aforesaid. Beginning at marker Black Oak, and thence by vacant land the four courses and distances following, VIZT South Twenty Degrees East one hundred and seventy Perches to a marked Oak sapling, South 70 degrees West two hundred and fifty Perches to a post, North twenty degrees West one hundred and seventy Perches to a post, North twenty degrees East two hundred and fifty Perches to place of beginning, containing two hundred and fifty acres and the allowance of six percent for roads and highways,

To hold unto the said Christian Rothermel, his heirs and assigns for ever under the Rent of one Penny Shilling for every acre payable to the said Proprietaries, their heirs and successors, the first day of March yearly for ever, As by the said recorded Patent or Grant, reference being had thereto may fully appear,

And whereas the said Christian Rothermel hath contracted and agreed with the said Conrad Kirschner, for the absolute sale of the Fee Simple and Inheritance of all the said tract of land and premises, Except a certain parcel of the said tract containing about sixty five acres therein after particularly described which the said Christian Rothermel does reserve to himself now this indenture witnesseth, that in consideration of the sum of two hundred pounds lawful money of the Province aforesaid unto the said Christian Rothermel, in hand well and truly paid by the said Conrad Kirschner, at or before the sealing and delivery of these presents the receipt whereof said Christian Rothermel doth hereby acknowledge and thereof doth acquit, release and discharge the said Conrad Kirschner, his heirs, executors, and administrators, for ever.

He, the said Christian Rothermel, hath granted, bargained, sold, enfeoffed, and confirmed, and by these presents doth grant, bargain, sell, alienate, enfeoffe, and confirm unto the said Conrad Kirschner, his heirs, and assignees, All the said tract or parcel of land before mentioned, to be patented by the said Proprietaries, to the said Christian Rothermel, containing by estimation two hundred and fifty acres, with the usual allowances for roads and highways, and all and every the rights, members and appurtenances, thereunto belonging and the reversions and remainders thereof, Except only their out and always reserved unto the said Christian Rothermel, his heirs and assignees, a certain parcel of land part of the said tract containing by estimation sixty five acres or there abouts,

Beginning at a post dividing the said sixty five acres from the other part of the said land, whence by the same North twenty degrees East one hundred and seventy Perches to a post, thence by

vacant land South seventy degrees West sixty Perches to a post, thence by the land of Peter Rothermel South twenty degrees West one hundred and seventy Perches to a post, thence by vacant land of Joseph Gibson North seventy degrees East to the place of begining, To have and hold the said tract of part of the land herein before first described with all and every appurtenance thereto belonging (excepting there out the said sixty five acres) unto the said Conrad Kirschner, his heirs and assignees, to the only proper use and behof of the said Conrad Kirschner, his heirs and assignees forever,

Under and subject to the Proprietary Quit Rent of one half Penny Sterling per acre by the said recited Patent recovered and payable for the same, and the said Christian Rothermel doth, for himself, his heirs and executors and administrators, covenant promise and grant to and with the said Conrad Kirschner, his heirs and assignees, by these presents in manner following that is to say that he the said Christian Rothermel and his heirs, All the said tract or parcel of land and premises, except the said sixty five acres before excepted unto the said Conrad Kirschner, his heirs and assignees against him the said Christian Rothermel, and all other persons, lawfully claiming or to claim by, from or under him or them, shall and will Warrent and forever defend, and also that he the said Christian Rothermel, and all persons lawfully claiming under him shall and will from time to time and at all times hereafter upon request and the proper costs and charges of the said Conrad Kirschner, his heirs or assignees made do execute and acknowledge or cause to be made, executed and acknowledged all and every such further and other lawful and reasonable act and acts, deed and deeds, conveience and assurance in the law whatsoever for the further better, more perfect and absolute granting, conveying and assurance the said tract or parcel of land and premises, with the appurtenances (except as aforesaid with the said Conrad Kirschner, his heirs and assignees, as by him or his or their Council learned in the law shall be reasonably devised or required.

In WITNESS, where the said parties to these presents have hereunto interchangeable set their hands and Seal the day and year first above written.

Christian Rothermel
Sealed and delivered in the presence of us.
Joseph Creillus

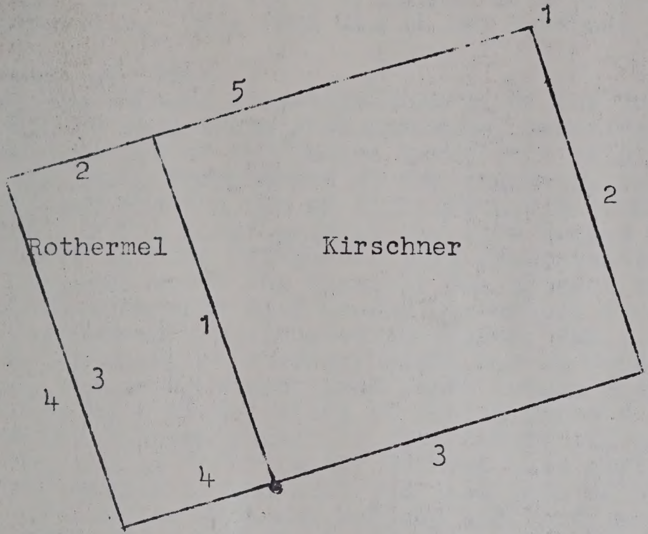
Received the Day and Year within written, of the within named Conrad Kirschner, the sum of Two Hundred Pounds, the consideration Money within mentioned to be paid to me.

Witness,
Joseph Crettin

Pay received by me in the presence of us.

Mathews Kirschner
Christian Rothermel
Conrad Kirschner

DIAGRAM OF THE 1744 GRANT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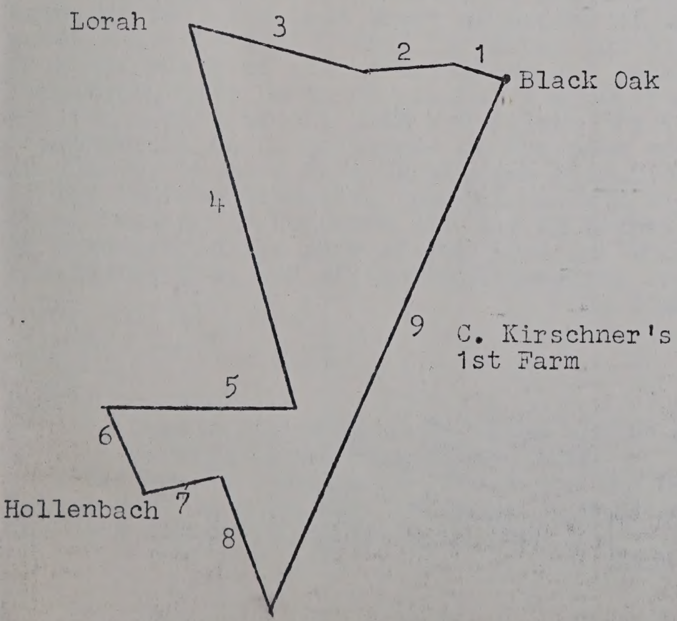
1. Black Oak
2. S. 20°, E. 170 P.
3. S. 70°, W. 250P.
4. N. 20°, W. 170 P.
5. N. 70°, E. 250 P.

Rothermel land:
1. N. 20°, E. 170 P.
2. S. 70°, W. 60 P.
3. S. 20°, W. 170 P.
4. N. 70°, E. to beg.

DIAGRAM OF WARRENT OF 1766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1; N. 20°, W. 14P.
2. S. 70°, W. 26P.
3. N. 20°, W. 64P.
4. S. 20°, W. 140P.
5. W. 68½P.
6. S. 20°, E. 23½ P.
7. N. 70°, E. 20P.
8. S. 20°, E. 78P.
9. N. 70°, E. 210½P.

By virtue of a Warrent dated March 20, 1766, the farm called "Ground Oak", adjoining the 200 acre tract, was bought by Conrad Kirschner I. This is the second farm turning east of Rte. 122, on the first road south of Hughes Hill between Hamburg and Shoemakersville. This farm was in the Kershner family until 1912.

Warrent of 1766:
The Supreme Executive Council of the Commonwealth of Penna. To all by whom these presents come, Greeting. Know ye that in consideration of the Monies heretofore paid by Conrad Kirschner to the State Proprietors at the granting, the warrent herein after mentioned and the sum of Eight Pounds Eleven Shillings and Three Pence, lawful money paid by the said Conrad Kirschner unto the receiver General Officer of this Commonwealth, being the arreas of purchase money and interest due thereon them, is granted by the Commonwealth unto said Conrad Kirschner, a certain tract of land called Conradburg situated in Windsor Twp., Berks County.

Beginning at a corner Black Oak of Conrad Kirschner's other land, thence by vacant land North twenty degrees West fourteen perches to a corner stone of Conrad Lorah's land, thence by the same South seventy degrees West twenty six perches to a corner stone, thence North twenty degrees West sixty four perches to a stone, thence by the same and land late of Nicholas Roush South twenty degrees West one hundred and forty perches, thence by said Roush's land sixty eight and one half perches to a corner stone of Michael Hollenbach and thence by the same South twenty degrees East twenty three perches and a half to a corner stone, thence North seventy degrees East twenty perches to a corner stone, thence South twenty degrees East seventy eight perches to a stone set for a corner in the line of said Kirschner's other land, thence by the same North seventy degrees East two hundred and ten and one half perches to the first mentioned Black Oak and place of beginning.

Containing Ninety One acres and Twenty one perches and allowance of six percent for roads, etc., with the appurtenances which said tract of land was surveyed by virtue of a Warrent dated the 20th of March, 1766 - Granted to the said Conrad Kirschner, to have and hold the said tract or parcel of land with the appurtenances unto the said Conrad Kirschner and his heirs and assigns, free and clear of all restrictions and reservations as to Monies, Royalties, Quit Rents or otherwise excepting and reserving only the fifth part of all Gold and Silver ore for the use of this Commonwealth to be delivered at the pits mouth, clear of all charges in witness whereof This Excellence John Dickinson, Esq., President of the Supreme Executive Council has set his hand and caused the State Seal to be hereunto affixed in Council, the thirteenth day of November in the year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Eighty Two, and of the Commonwealth, the seventh, 1782, Attest.

John Dickinson

Seal of Penna.

Patent No. 714
Conrad Kirschner - 91 acres and 21 perches land
Warrent dated 20th March, 1766
recorded in the Land Rolls Office for the State of Penna., Patent Book 1, page 458. Witness my hand and Seal of Office, the 27th day of February, A.D. 1783

John Morris

The following is the deed to the same farm which was bought by Conrad Kirschner I in 1766. Following his death, the farm went to Conrad II. In 1813, it was sold by Conrad II's widow Catherine to her son Conrad Kershner III.

This indenture was made on the nineteenth day of November, A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirteen, Between Catherine Kirschner, widow of Conrad Kirschner, the Second, relect and John Kershner, son of Conrad II, late of Windsor Twp., Berks Co., State of Pennsylvania, deceased of the one part and Conrad Kershner of the same Twp., Co., and state, Blacksmith, of the other part.

Witnesseth that the said Catherine Kirschner, Administrix, and John, Administrator for and in consideration of the sum of Six hundred Pounds lawful money of the said land, them in and truly paid for the use of the respective heirs of said deceased at and before the Ensealing and delivery hereof the receipt whereof they do hereby acknowledge and there do acquit and forever discharge the said Conrad Kershner, his heirs, executors and administrators by these presents have granted, bargained, sold, aleined, enfeoffed, released, and confirmed, and unto the said Conrad Kershner and to his heirs and assigns, ALL that certain messuage, tenement, and tract of land, situated lying and being in the Twp. of Windsor aforesaid,

Beginning at a post in a line of John Bear, by the same of M. Hollenbach, N. 27 degrees W. 190 perches to a post, S. 65 degrees W. 20 p to a stone, N. 25 degrees W. 23½ p to a stone, by the land of George Moyer N. 85 degrees E. 70 p to a stone, N. 65 degrees E. 47½ p to a Black Oak tree in the corner of John Kershner's land, S. 31 degrees E. 208 p to a post, S. 65 degrees W. 37½ p to a hickory, S. 49 degrees E. 9½ p, S. 73 degrees W. 60 p to the place of beginning,

Containing One hundred and twenty nine acres and nine perches best measure. It being part of two tracts of land which by survey good convey once and assurance in law duly and obtained vested the property of Conrad Kirschner, grandfather to the above named grantor, who being so thereof seized and possessed died leaving a widow named Catherine and issue Thirteen heirs at law to said estate, twelve of the said heirs, by their deed of release duly executed and recorded in the Office of Recording in Reading, for the County of Berks, Book A, Volume 16, page 174, did grant and Confirm unto the above named Conrad Kershner, deceased the said release dated June 2, 1792.

Who by these articles of Agreement bearing date Sept. 17, 1813, granted and confirmed the above described tract for the above mentioned consideration unto said Conrad Kershner, party hereto authorized and empowered the execution of the Title in said Articles in the words following: And whereas the said Conrad Kirschner, senior, is now unwell and impotent to the Title and Deed for said land to him the said Conrad Kershner, Jr.

Now the said Conrad Kirschner, senior, the Second, desires and appoints the Exectors of his will and Testament or the Administrators by default of a Will to execute a lawful title upon the expense of the purchaser if no title has been given by the said Conrad Kirschner, Sr., the Second, and receive the stipulated Bonds if they have not yet given which agreement stands also recorded in said Office, Book A, Vol. 25, page 495, Because being had will more fully and at large appear, Together also with all and singular the House, Buildings, Improvements, Fields, Fences,

Ways, wood, water courses, Rights, Lokertee, Privileges, Heredi-ments, and appurtenances whatever thereto belongs, or in any wise appertaining, and the reversions and remainders, rents, issues, and profits thereof, and also the Estate right Title, interest, use, trusts, property, possession, claim and demand whatsoever of them and the said Catherine Kirschner, Admx. and John Kershner, Admin. for Sur Estate aforesaid in law and equity or otherwise however of in or out of the same, to have and to hold the said above described Messuage, Tenement and tract of 129 acres 29 perches, heredutaments and premises hereby granted and released or mentioned or intended so to be with appurtenances unto the said Conrad Kershner, his heirs and assigns, to the only Proper use and assigns, forever and said Catherine Kirschner and John Kershner for themselves and the other heirs of said Conrad Kirschner, deceased, do covenant promise grant and agree to and with said Conrad Kershner and his heirs and assigns by these presents that they the said Catherine, the above described Messuage, Tenement and tract of land hereditament and premises hereby grant and release or mentioned or intended so to be with appurtenances unto the said Conrad Kershner, his heirs and assigns, against them the said Catherine Kirschner and John Kershner, against all and every other person or persons whatever lawfully claiming or to claim the same or any part or parcel thereof by from or under him them or any of them shall and will WARRENT and forever defend by these presents.

I witness whereof the parties to these presents have hereto interchangable set their hands and Seal, date the day and year written above.

Received the day of the date of the above written indenture of land from the above named Conrad Kershner, Six hundred Pounds in money aforesaid for the use of the Heirs aforesaid being the consideration above mentioned in full we say received by us.

Sealed and delivered in the
presence of us at signing
Adolph Hartzel
Jacob Rothermel

Witness present
X (her mark)
Catherine Kirschner
Admx., Widow of
Conrad Kirschner II

John Kershner, Admin.
son

Berks County, Be it remembered that on the day of the date of the above written indenture before me, Adolph Hartzfield, Esq., one of the Justices of the Peace in and for the said County, came to the above named Catherine Kirschner, Admx. and John Kershner, Admin. Sur Estate of Conrad Kirschner, the Second, deceased, and acknowledged the above Indenture to be their Act and deed and desired that the same may be recorded as such according to law. In testimony whereof I set my hand and seal the day and date aforesaid.

Adolph Hartzfield
X (her mark) Catherine
Kirschner

John Kershner, Admin. Sur Estate of
Conrad Kirschner II

SEAL

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(Copied June 11, 1929 by George C. Kershner from original 28 by 18 inch parchment.)

The original farm settled by Conrad Kirschner I went to his son Conrad II. When Conrad II died in 1813, it went to his son, John Kershner. On October 29, 1830, John sold it to his brother-in-law, Jacob Merkel.

This Indenture made the twenty ninth day of October, in the year of our Lord, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty, between John Kershner of Windsor Twp., Berks Co., State of Pennsylvania, yeoman, and his wife Catherine of the one part and Jacob Merkel of Richmond Twp., County and State aforesaid, yeoman, of the other part.

WITNESSETH: that the said John Kershner and Catherine, his wife, in consideration of the sum of Three Thousand Seven Hundred and Two dollars and eighteen cents and three quarters lawful money of the State of Penna. to them in hand well and truly paid by the said Jacob Merkel, and before the ensealing and delivery hereof the receipt whereof they do hereby acknowledge and thereof do acquit and forever discharge the said Jacob Merkel, his heirs, executors, and administrators, By these presents to have granted, bargained, sold, aleined, enfeoffed, released, and confirmed, and by these presents do grant, bargain, sell, alein, enfeoffe, release, and confirm unto the said Jacob Merkel and to his heirs and assigns, All that certain Messuage, Farm, and tract of land situated in Perry Twp., Berks Co., aforesaid bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the Black Oak tree, a corner in the line of Conrad Kershner III, thence by the land of Conrad Kershner S. 30 degrees E. 206 and 8/10 perches to a post, S. 67 d W. 42 and 7/10 p to a post, by John Kershner's land S. 56½ d E. 35½ p to a stone in the road, by Jacob Heckman's land N. 45 d E. 8 p to a post, N. 35 d E. 20 p to a post, S. 36½ d E. 20 p to a post, N. 58 d E. 43 and 4/10 p to a post, N. 3½ d W. 16 and 1/10 p to a chestnut tree, thence by the land of John Kershner N. 67 d E. 48¼ p to a post, thence partly by said John Kershner's land and by the land of the heirs of Leonard Rothermel N. 23 d W. 185½ p to a hickory tree, thence by the land of Jacob Reber, late Heinly S. 27 d W. 25¼ p to a post, N. 23 d W. 63 and 7/10 p to a stone, thence by said Reber land and partly by the land of George Moyer, deceased, S. 67 d W. 90 and 1/10 p to the place of beginning,

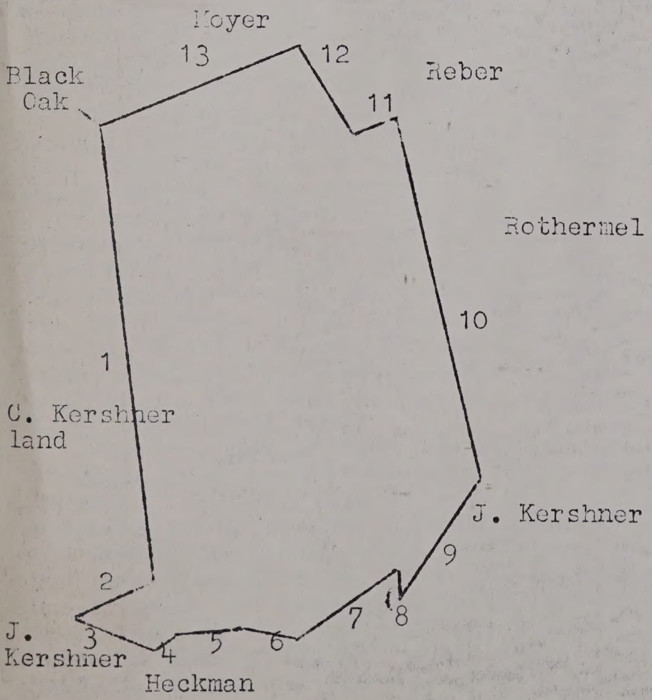
Containing One hundred and Forty acres and fourteen perches strict measure. It being the greater part of the same tract of land and premises which Conrad Kirschner II and Catherine Kirschner Adminatrix of his estate did convey to John Kershner in 1813.

Together also with all and singular the houses, barns, stable, orchards, meadows, field, fences, ways, woods, waters, water courses, Rights, liberties, privileges, heredements and appurtenances whatsoever thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining, subject nevertheless to the Dowery or rent charges of Catherine Kirschner, widow of Conrad Kirschner, deceased, to be paid and given to her annually during the natural life, out of the aforesaid premises and subject also to a water right hereafter mentioned. And the reversions and remainders, rent, issue and profits thereof, and also the estate, right, title, interest, use, trust, property, possession, claim and demand whatsoever of them, the said John Kershner and Catherine, his wife, in law, equity, or otherwise of, in, or out of same, To have and to hold the said Messuage of One hundred and Forty acres and fourteen perches strict measure, Heredinents and Premises hereby granted and released or mentioned

or intended so with the appurtenances unto said Jacob Merkel, his heirs and assigns, to be only proper used and behoof of him the said Jacob Merkel his said premises in pupes, in such manner so as little damage as possible to the aforesaid premises unto or towards the houses of said John Kershner, his heirs and assigns, And the said John Kershner, for himself, his heirs, executors and administrators, doth covenant, promise, grant, and agree to, with the said Jacob Merkel, his heirs and assigns, By these presents- That he the said John Kershner, and his heirs and assigns, the said above mentioned and described Messuage and tract of land of One hundred and Forty-eight acres and fourteen perches (above it gives 140 acres - probably due to an error in copying the original) Herediments and premises hereby granted and released or mentioned or intended so to be with the appurtenances unto the said Jacob Merkel, his heirs and assigns against him, the said John Kershner and his heirs and against all and every person or persons whomsoever lawfully claiming or to claim the same or any part or parcel thereof by, from, or under, him, them, or any of except the Dowery and water right, shall and will WARRENT and forever defend by these presents. In witness whereof the said parties to these presents have hereunto interchangable set their hands and seals, dated the day and year first above written.

On June 7, 1836, this same farm was sold by Jacob Merkel to his son, John, for 3,800 dollars.

DRAFT OF THE FARM AS IT WAS IN 1830



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6.	S.	36½	E.	20
7.	N.	58	E.	43
8.	N.	3½	W.	16
9.	N.	67	E.	48
10.	N.	23	W.	185
11.	S.	27	W.	25
12.	N.	23	W.	63
13.	S.	67	W.	90

Deed of 1842 showing the provisions that Conrad Kershner III made for his wife if she should survive him.

This Indenture made the Seventh day of April in the year of our Lord, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty two, Between Conrad Kershner of Windsor Twp. in Berks County of the State of Pennsylvania, yeoman, and Maria, his wife, of the one part and Issac Kershner and Daniel Kershner, of the same place, sons of the said Conrad Kershner and Maria, his wife, for and in consideration of the sum of one dollar, lawful money of the United States to them in hand well and truly paid by the said Issac Kershner and Daniel Kershner, and to and before the ensealing and delivery hereof the receipt whereof acknowledged and thereof do acquit and forever discharge and release and confirm unto the said Issac Kershner and Daniel Kershner and to their heirs and assigns,

All that certain Messuage, Plantation and tract of land situated lying in Windsor Twp., Berks Co. aforesaid bounded and described to wit:

Beginning at a Hickory tree, a corner in a line of Jacob Merkel's land, thence by the same N. 66 degrees E. 43½ perches, N. 29½ d W. 206 and 4/10 p to a Black Oak tree, thence by the land of Christian Hepner S. 67 and 4/10 p to a stone, S. 88 d W. 68 and 4/10 p to a stone, thence by the land of Henry Hollenbach SW 23½ d E. 23 and 3/10 p to a stone, N. 67 d E. 19 and 9/10 p, S. 23 d E. 77 and 3/4 p to a stone, thence by the land of Jacob Bear N. 67½ d E. 2 and 8/10 p to a stone, S. 26½ d E. 113 and 8/10 p to a post, thence by land of John Kershner N. 74 d E. 59 and 2/10 p to a post, S. 48 d E. 9¼ p to the beginning,

Containing 128 acres and 130 perches strict measure.

It being the same Messuage, Plantation, and tract of land which Catherine and John Kershner, Administrators of the Estate of Conrad Kirschner II, deceased, by authority to them given by Articles of Agreement bearing date Sept. 17, 1813, recorded in Office for Recording at Reading in Book A, Vol. 25, page 495, by their Indenture bearing date Nov. 19, 1813, for consideration therein mentioned, granted and confirmed the same unto the said Conrad Kershner, party hereto in fee as in the said recited Indenture, intended to be recorded, relation being thereto had will more fully and at large appear.

Together with all and singular the house, barns, stables, orchards, meadows, fields, fences, ways, water courses, Rights, liberties, privileges, herediments and appurtenances whatsoever thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining, and the reversion and remainder, rents, issue, and profits thereof and also all the estate, rights, title, in interest, use, trust, property, possessions, claim and demand whatever of them the said Conrad Kershner and Maria, his wife, in law or equity or otherwise howsoever of, to or out of the same,

To have and to hold the said Messuage, Plantation, and tract of land, containing 128 acres 130 perches strict measure, Herediments and premises hereby granted and released or mentioned or intended to be so with appurtenances unto the said Issac Kershner and Daniel Kershner, their heirs and assigns, to the proper use and behoof of them the said Issac Kershner and Daniel Kershner, their heirs and assigns forever, subject to the following rent charge or ausbehold during the natural lifetime of the said Conrad Kershner and Maria, his wife, for them or the survivor of them to have and to occupy the two middle rooms in the house, on the above

described Messuage and tract of land, one on the first and one on the second floor with privileges in the entry, kitchen, cellar, garden, springhouse, bakeoven, a piece in the garden, sufficient firewood delivered to the house ready cut for the kitchen stove and bakeoven, room in the stable for two cows and all kind of privileges in or about the buildings that they want for themselves.

And also the following Dower to be paid and delivered to them and the survivor of them annually $50 in gold and lawful money in Quarterly payments. Twenty bushels of wheat, twelve bushels of corn, one fat hog to weigh not less than 150 pounds, L. of Beef, 10 lbs. of tallow, 10 lbs. of flax, 6 lbs. of wool, potatoes, chickens, eggs, apples, and cider, as much as they want for their family use. Apples and cider only to be given when there are any apples on Messuage and tract of land. To keep in pasture and feed two cows, and after the decease of either of them, to give to the survivor one half of each and every article of the Dower and money last mentioned excepting in case the said Conrad Kershner shall survive his wife, Maria, then the $50 are to be paid to him in full as above mentioned during his natural lifetime and wherever the said Conrad Kershner and Maria, his wife, or either of them shall be sick or helpless, to find and keep a Nurse for them and to wait on them in a Christianlike manner. And the said Conrad Kershner for himself, his heirs, Executors and Administrators doth covenant, promise, grant and agree to with the said Issac Kershner and Daniel Kershner, their heirs and assigns, by these presents that the said Conrad Kershner and his heirs and the said above mentioned and described Messuage, Plantation and tract of land containing 128 acres and 130 perches strict measure, heredimments and premises hereby granted and released, mentioned or intended so to be with the appurtenances, unto the said Issac Kershner and Daniel Kershner, their heirs and assigns against them, the said Conrad Kershner, and his heirs and assigns, and against all and every person or persons who soever lawfully claim or to claim the same or any part or parcel thereof, by, from, or under him or any of them shall and will WARRENT and forever defend these presents.

In witness whereof the said parties to these presents have hereunto interchangable set their hands and seals, dated the day and year above written.

Received the day of the date of the above written Indenture of and from the above named Issac Kershner and Daniel Kershner, the sum of One dollar in gold or silver money it being the consideration money above mentioned in full.

Witness present at signing.
John Kershner
Conrad Kershner
Daniel Young

Sealed and delivered in the presence of us.
John Kershner
Daniel Young

Deed of 1842
Conrad Kershner, the Third, to Issac Kershner and Daniel Kershner.

Witnesses: Henry W. Smith, I. Bright Smith, David Medlay (an alderman of Reading)

Appendix II

The Family Coat of Arms:

According to Rietstaps Armorial General, the following is the coat of arms for the Kershner family:

Armorial coat - Kirchner
Field azure, a church on ground vert

Explanation and Description of the symbols and coloring:

Field: the surface of the shield upon which the charges or bearings are emblazoned.
Azure - or blue - signifies loyalty and truth. It is also the color devoted to the Virgin by the Roman Church.
Vert - or green - signifies hope and joy, and sometimes truth and love.

Origin of the Name:

KARSHNER

The distinguished name of Kershner, Kirschner, Kurschner, Kirchner, Krechner, and its other variants, according to Heinze-Cassori, the well known authority on surnames, belongs to that group of names which owe their origin to a trade or occupation - coming from "Kursenaere" (old high German "Chursinna") (middle high German "Kursen") - a fur cloak. Thus the implication is that the early bearer of the name was a furrier.

There is another theory that "Kirchner" (middle high German "Kirchaers") means a sacristanor sexton.

An Early Boarer of the Name:

Conrad Kurschner, born at Puffach, Alsace, in 1478. He was a learned reformer and Biblical critic. He took monastic vows and became converted to the doctrine of Luther. He was appointed Professor of Hebrew at Zurick in 1526 and was a friend of Erasmus. His works in Latin are Commentaries on the Bible.

At a later date, Theodor Kirchner, a German musical composer, born at Neukirchen in Saxony in 1824. His genre pieces for the pianoforte (showing the influence of Schumann) are among his best works.

NOTE: The differences in the spelling of the name should be ignored for two reasons. First, in the olden days spelling was arbitrary in the case of early Germans migrating to this country. The English clerks, unable to speak the German language, in many cases spelled the names phonetically. Second, here in America the census records were not printed until about 150 years after they had be written. Consequently the ink and paper had faded, fine strokes of the pen had worn away as the pages rubbed together in use, and, expert as they were in reading old documents, they occasionally erred in interpreting the handwriting.

Early Immigrants:

During the years 1709-1712 shiploads of German people came to America and landed in New York. As most of them came from Rinish or Palatinate, the name "Palatine" was applied indiscriminately to all of them, although some came from neighboring territories as well.

Philip Kersner, wife, and three children, are listed in the Walter Knittle book's Early Palatine Emigration list.

Early in the 18th century many inhabitants of the Lower Palatinate, lying on both sides of the Rhine in Germany, were driven from their homes by the persecution of Louis XIV of France, whose armies desolated their country.

Many thousands found refuge in England, and some came to America At this point it is well to bear in mind the fact that through the centuries in Europe people have been driven from their homes and countries because of religious and political differences. Just one instance -- the French Hugenots, who scattered in Germany, Switzerland, Holland, Russia, England, America, and some at a later date to South Africa. Today we find persons bearing their surnames who are of many different nationalities.

At the Court House in Philadelphia, on the following dates, records list Palatines, who, with their families, were imported to America.

Sept. 11, 1731 - Ship Britianna, Capt. Michael Fracklin, from Rotterdam - John Kershner

Aug. 17, 1731 - Ship Samuel, Master Hugh Percy, from Rotterdam,
Ann Crisner (also given as Kirschner)
Martin Crisner (under sixteen)
Elizabeth Crisner and George Crisner(also given as Johann Gorg Kirschner) (above 16)
Barbary Crisner

Aüg. 27, 1733 - Ship Elizabeth, Capt. Edward Lee, from Rotterdam - Concreat Kesnoser, age 14
Johannes Kernoser, age 40
Gertrude Kesnoser, age 50
John Yarivk Kesnoser, age 12

Sept. 5, 1748 - Ship Winter Gally, Edward Payner, Comdr., from Rotterdam - Paulus Kurgner (also given as Kirchner), age 40

Sept. 5, 1748 - Ship Edinburg, Capt. James Russel, from Rotterdam - John Georg Kirshner
Adam Kirchner

Oct. 8, 1749 - Ship Lydia, Capt. John Randolph, from Rotterdam
Georg Kirchner

Aug. 13, 1750 - Ship Edinburgh, Capt. James Russel, from Rotterdam - J. Georg Kirshner

Sept. 16, 1751- Ship Brothers, Capt. William Muir, from Rotterdam - J. Georg Kirchner

Oct. 29, 1767 - Ship Minerva, Master John Spurrier, from Rotterdam - Johann Andreas Kirchner

Dec. 3, 1772 - Ship Hope, Master Georg Johnson, from Rotterdam
Jorg Kirchner

Aug. 3, 1773 - Ship Sally, John Osman, Comdr., from Rotterdam
John Kirshner

May 31, 1794 - Ship Columbia, Capt. William Maley, from Rotterdam - Wilhelmina Kirchner
John Gottlob Kursner

Civil War

Charles A. Kershner, a Civil War veteran who followed the flag for years after the close of that conflict to protect workmen constructing the Union Pacific and Central Pacific R.R. from Omaha to San Francisco, who fought the Sioux Indians under Red Cloud and Spotted Tail in Wyoming to banish Roman Nose and his Sious braves across the Canadian border, and who fought the Apaches in Arizona. He was part of the remnants of the Pottsville G.A.R. honored today.

He spent a total of 14 years in the service, beginning his career on Feb. 15, 1864, with enlistment in Co. B of the 48th Penna. Volunteers, and ending it with a certificate of disability issued by a surgeon, following his fall into a ditch from horseback in 1878.

Kershner was with the 48th, then of the Army of the Potomac, from the Wilderness campaign to Appomatox. He was wounded at North Anna on May 24, 1864, and spent a month at Mt. Pleasant Hospital in Washington D.C. Three months of civilian life in Pottsville, the town where he was born on Feb. 4, 1848, sufficed for him. He decided to become a soldier again and accordingly reenlisted in the 12th U.S. Infantry at Pottsville on Oct. 12, 1865.

Until April, 1866, he remained in Pottsville and later went to Philadelphia as a clerk in the recruiting service. Then he got a two week furlough, and at the end of it he joined Co. A. of the 12th Inf. at Washington D.C. After rearming with Spencer's Carbines, more effective weapons, the regiment went to Nebraska, where picks and shovels were busy on the new Union Pacific and Central Pacific Railroad.

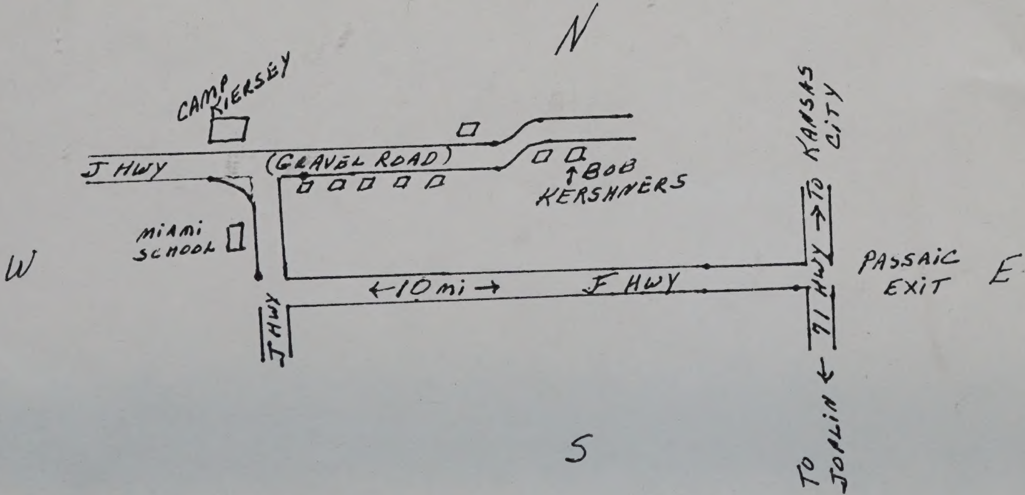
On Oct. 12, 1868, Kershner again became a civilian, to immediately reenlist, this time in Co. H., 30th U.S. Inf. Sixty days furlough was the reward for reenlistment, and at the end of that period he joined his regiment at Fort Laramie, Wyoming, there to battle the Sioux.

Fort Fetterman, where he received his discharge on Oct. 12, 1871, was the supply post for the regiment. This time he reenlisted in the same company and regiment, again furloughing for sixty days and rejoining his company at Fort C.F. Smith in Montana. There, the Sioux, under Turkey Foot and Big Mouth, caused lots of trouble. Later Roman Nose met defeat and death when his Sioux and Comanches crossed the border into the "land of snows".

Next, the company went to Fort Wingate, New Mexico, for a rest and while there, Kershner again became a civilian through an honorable discharge. Again he reenlisted, this time in Co. A. of the 5th U.S. Cavalry.

With this outfit, Kershner went to Arizona under Major General Crook, the man who took no prisoners. With him, Kershner fought Apaches in Arizona (Cheltapan, Delche, and Geronimo). The 6th U.S. Cavalry relieved the 5th and the latter went to Fort Hays, Kansas for rest and new recruits. While resting, Kershner came to Pottsville on a sixty day furlough. He returned to Fort Hays and in the latter part of 1877 he was thrown from a horse as he was jumping a ditch. Kershner's kidneys suffered injury and several months later he was discharged on a surgeon's certificate of disability.

In June of 1868, Elizabeth C. Herwig became his wife. To them 12 children were born, three of whom were still living in 1949 (Harry in Pottsville, Mrs. H.K. Johnson in Trenton, N.J., and Mrs. Lewis Davis in Philadelphia). There are also six grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren (as of 1949).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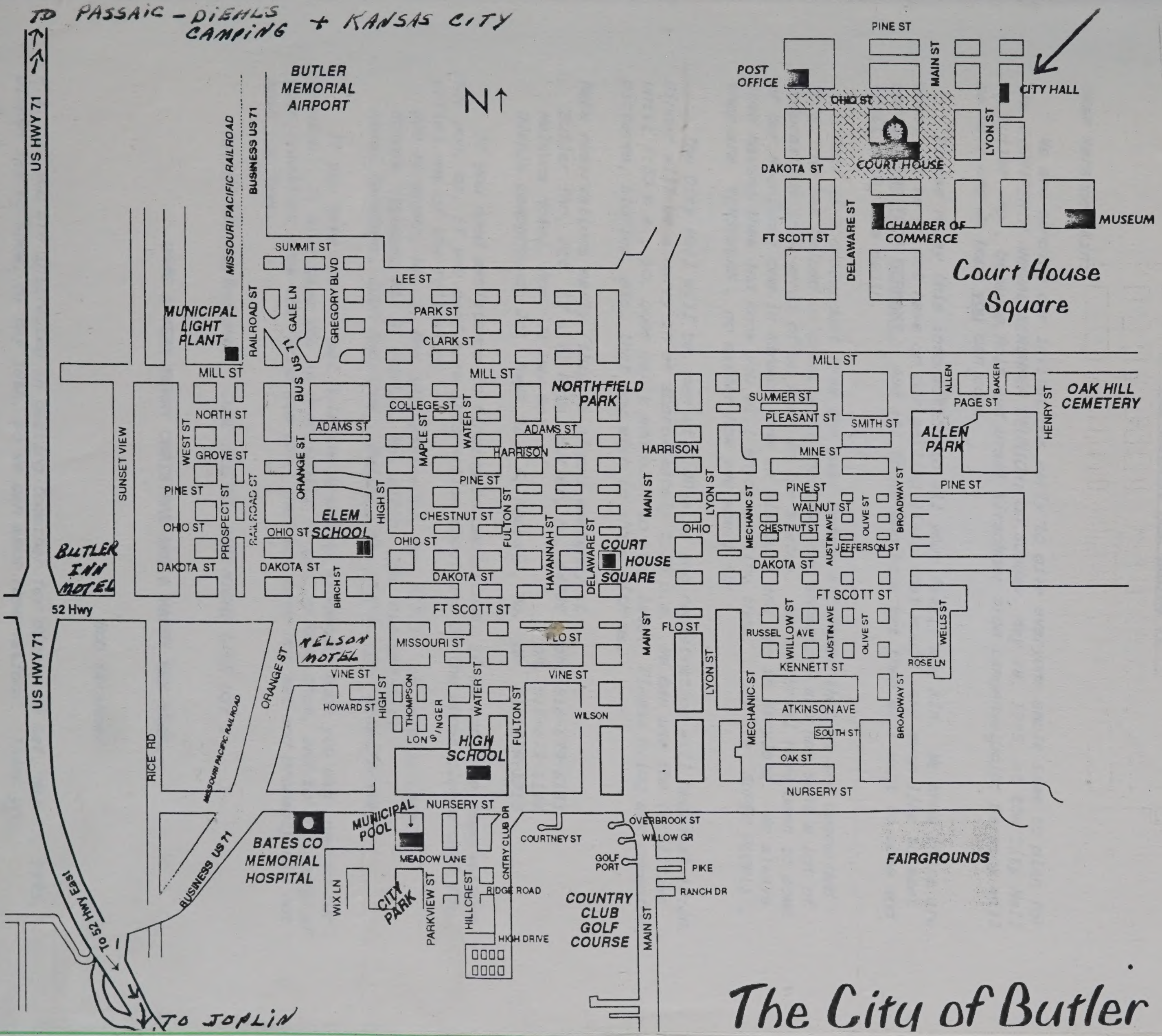
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The City of Butler

EIGHTEENTH ANNUAL

KERSHNER REUNION

' THE GERMANS ARE COMING !! '

Dear Kershner Kin:

We are sending our invitations early to give everyone ample time to plan for the EIGHTEENTH ANNUAL KERSHNER REUNION; on Sunday, May 28, 1995, at the City Hall in Butler, Mo., because Rolf and Ursel Kirschner from Langenselbold, Germany will be here and we hope you *can come.*

Please relay this information to all your family and kin. We know there are some, who we do not have on our mailing list, that would very much like to meet our COUSINS FROM GERMANY. *And all those who have met them will want to come and visit with them again.*

Rolf is a descendant from the same Enders Kirschner that we are descended from. He has helped us greatly in checking our ancestory and has sent a lot of information to several of us here in the states. He and Ursel have been to some of our Reunions; one in Kansas, one in Missouri and two in Maryland. We always love having them and know you will enjoy meeting them. They are "SUPER PEOPLE", they are "KERSHNERS", no matter how you spell it!

The City Hall will be open at 9:00 a.m. and registration will begin at 10:00. Dinner will be a carry-in at approximately 1:30 p.m. We can use the facilities until 5:30 p.m., so, come early and plan to stay late. Please bring any momentos, pictures, stories, etc. that you wish to share with us.

Make reservations early (this is alumni weekend) at:
Butler Inn, Jct. 52 & 71 Hwys, Butler, Mo. 64730 ph. 816-679-6183
Nelsons Motel, Bus. 71 Hwy So. " " ph. 816-679-3144
Diehls Campground, Jct. Hwys 71 & F, Passaic, Mo. ph. 816-679-3313

If you need assistance in finding accomodations, if we can make reservations for you, or, if you need more information about any of the above please call (or write) one of the following:
Bob Kershner, Rt. 1, Box 181, Amsterdam, Mo. 64723 ph. 816-267-3687.
Bonnie Jackson, Rt. 2, Adrian, Mo. 64720 ph. 816-267-3419.
Naomi Kershner, 1008 Ruby Ave., Butler, Mo. 64730 ph. 816-679-5449.

If you have not yet met Rolf and Ursel we sincerely hope you can come to our Reunion. It will give you an opportunity to get to know them, and to meet many of your relatives from the 'Good old USA' that you have not met and probably did not know you have.

As the old saying goes, "COME SEE US, YOU MIGHT LIKE US!".

HAVE A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR.

Bob Kershner

P.S. If you are interested in getting together for dinner on Sat. May 27, 1995, please let us know, by May 10th, so we can make reservations. Thank you.

could convey the premises to Simon agreeable to previous contract but he had noted it in his own accounts.

Therefore: the heirs of Jacob sell this 52 acres to Simon for $1.00.

*John Hoofman and Barbara (Barbary) his wife of Vigo Co., Ind.; Jacob Hoofman and Isabella his wife; George Hoofman and Mary his wife; Daniel Hoofman and Margaret his wife; John Foust and Catherine his wife (late Catherine Hoofman) of Sanduscky County, Ohio; Jacob Hoke and Susanna his wife (late Susanna Hoofman); Frederick Hoofman and Mary his wife; Andrew Hoofman and Sarah his wife; Jonathan Hoofman and Mary his wife; Abraham Hoofman and Verada his wife; Samuel Hoofman and Catherine his wife; Isaac Shaffer and Rosanna his wife (late Rosanna Hoofman); Andrew Reed and Mary Ann his wife (late Mary Ann Hoofman) Anna Maria; Jacob Forsnath and Barbara his wife (late Barbara Hoofman);*Jonas Hoofman and Anna his wife.

Only heirs and legal representatives of Jacob Hoofman Sr. dec'd.

Witnesses include Julius Hoffman and Ambrose Hoffman.

--family group sheet here--

b march 31, 1814

Jonas * His great grandaughter lives in archbold, Ohio
Marjorie Gautsche - husband is minister
of Central Mennonite church in archbold.

John -* relatives in Missouri + Wyoming

abraham* - relatives live in amanda, ohio

	and Peter Groff, dec'd by patent 10 Feb 1823 to Hoffman and Groff heirs Wit: John A. Fisher M. McKinney		
9 Nov 1838	Jacob came personally to Pickaway County to certify his attorney to son George	Pickaway Co. OH	
12 Jan 1839	Jacob sold 111.78 acres to Jonas Hoffman for $610: pt Sec 27 T12 R20	Fairfield County, OH	Deeds, Vol. 5, p. 33; GS# 295, 286.
12 Jan 1839	Jacob Sr. sold 130.19 acres to Samuel Hoffman for $1108: pt Sec 27 T12 R20	Fairfield County, OH	Deeds, Vol. 5, p. 33; GS# 295, 286.
12 Jan 1839	Jacob sold 25 acres to Daniel Hoffman for $250: pt Sec 27 T12 R20	Fairfield County, OH	Deeds, Vol. 5, p. 57; GS# 295, 286. Photo of tombstone in Tarleton Cemetery, inscription in German. DAR Cemetery Records of Ohio, GS# 317,466.
13 Mar 1839	Jacob Hoffman, Sr. died; buried in Tarleton Cemetery	Fairfield County, OH	
13 Apr 1839	Jacob Hoofman Sr. died intestate in Fairfield County, leaving 16 children.	Fairfield County, OH	Deeds, Vol. 5, pp. 554-56; GS# 295,286. This invaluable document clearly lists all of Jacob's surviving heirs and their spouses. Note: Julias Hoffman and Ambrose Hoffman are not heirs, they sign as witnesses!

He sold 52 acres of land in Fairfield County, SW 1/4 Sec 33 T12 R20 which he purchased from Henry Haller 14 Aug 1827, to his son Simon Hoffman during his lifetime. He died before he

	power of attorney to son George, of Pickaway Co. OH, to sell undivided 1/2 interest in 220 acres more or less in Lykens Twp. Dauphin Co. PA. Land surveyed and located in Jacob Hoffman's name and a certain Peter Groaf, adjoining the lands late or now of: Henry Kock Martin Kriter et al Wit: Jeremiah Moore JP D. Kinnear Jacob Fausnaught		collect money owed.
21 Sep 1838	Jacob Hoffman of Fairfield Co. OH, by his attorney George Hoffman, sells 217 3/4 acres plus allowance of 6% for roads to Aaron Bombaugh of Borough of Harrisburg, Dauphin Co. PA for $375.00. Land adjoining late or now: ________ Spanhoute Michael Reisinger Michael Welker Ermold and Hoffman Nicholas Bennett Conveyed by warrant 29 Jan 1787, granted to Jacob Hoffman	Lykens, PA Dauphin, ~~OH~~	Same reference--both documents are recorded at the same time. Jacob Hoffman, Sr. was an astute man who distributed his estate while he was alive. His foresight provided both for his children and for his descendants--leaving records to identify his family members and set them apart from other Hoffmans living in the same area.

	$1200 value		
2 Mar 1830	Jacob Sr. and Susanna of Fairfield Co. OH sold to George Hoffman of Pickaway Co. 160 acres for $320.00 SE 1/4 Sec 14 T11 R21 Worthington Survey	Washington, Pickaway, OH	Deeds, Vol. I, p. 493. GS# 36652 pt. 9.
1830	enumerated in census 1 male 70-80 Jacob Hoffman Sr. b. 1752 1 female 50-60 Susanna Hoffman b. 1773 3 males 20-30 Andrew Hoffman b. between 1790-1800 Samuel Hoffman b. 1807 Simon Hoffman b. 1807 1 female 20-30 Rosanna Hoffman b. 1813 1 male 15-20 Jonas Hoffman b. 1814-16 1 female 15-20 Mary Ann Hoffman b. between 1810-1815 1 female 10-15 Barbara Hoffman b.	Clear Creek, Fairfield, OH	GS# 337,984, p. 280.
1 Jul 1831	Jacob Sr. and Susannah sell two tracts to Jacob Hoffman, Jr. for $600: 25 acres pt SW 1/4 Sec 33 T12 R20 25 acres pt SE 1/2 Sec 33 T12 R20	Clear Creek, Fairfield, OH	Deeds, Vol. 5, p. 32; GS# 295, 286.
2 Jun 1835	wife Susannah died; buried New Tarleton Cemetery	Fairfield County, OH	DAR Cemetery Records, GS# 317, 466.
15 Dec 1837	Jacob Hoffman of Fairfield Co. OH conveys	Fairfield County, OH	Dauphin County, PA. Deeds Vol. 2K, pp. 507-10; GS# 5158 pt. 29. George was about to go to PA to

1820	taxed for 3 tracts:	Fairfield County, OH	
	25 acres 2nd rate land SW Sec 33 T12 R20		Original owner, Jacob Hoffman.
	161 acres 3rd rate land N1/2 Sec 27 T12 R20		Original owner, Graham and Friend.
	106 acres 3rd rate land SE Sec 27 T12 R20		Original owner, William McIntosh.
1821	taxed; the same		
1823	Jacob, witness to deed for Frederick Horn and Mary, his wife, to their son, Christian Horn for $1.00: S1/2 SE 1/4 Sec 32 T12 R20	Fairfield County, OH	Deeds, Vol. N., p. 315. GS# 295,278. Jacob was probably related to these Horns--there was a Hoffman--Horn connection in Zuzenhausen, Baden, Germany.
1823	Peter Grofe taxed for 200 acres by patent $1200 value	Lykens, Dauphin, PA	
1823	Jacob taxed for 25 acres 2nd rate land SW Sec 33 T12 R20 161 acres 3rd rate land N1/2 Sec 27 T12 R20 106 acres 3rd rate land SE Sec 27 T12 R20 52 acres 2nd rate land Sec 33 T12 R20 15 acres 2nd rate land Sec 4 T12 R20	Fairfield County, OH	
1825	Peter Grove taxed; unseated lands	Lykens, Dauphin, PA	

15 Nov 1817	Jacob Hoffman Sr. bought 106 acres from Kitty and Susannah Hoffman for $1.00: pt SE 1/4 Sec 27 T12 R20	Fairfield County, OH	Deeds, Vol. M, p. 55. GS# 295, 278. Jacob originally filed for this land in the names of his two eldest daughters. In 1819, Caty and Susanna Hoffman were taxed for a piece of land originally owned by Jacob Hoffman in Sec 27 T12 R20. See GS# 476, 522, Fairfield County, OH Tax Roll, 1819. This may have been part of Jacob's estate planning.
1818	Groff and Hoffman were taxed; unseated lands	Lykens, Dauphin, PA	
1818	taxed; 160 acres 2nd rate land NE Sec 27 T12 R20	Fairfield County, OH	Original owners, Graham and Friend.
1819	Groff and Hoffman taxed; unseated lands	Fairfield County, OH	
1820-22	Unseated lands $1000 value taxed	Lykens, Dauphin, PA	In Peter Grove's name only.
1820	enumerated in census 1 male over 45 Jacob Hoffman, Sr. b. 1752 1 female over 45 Susanna Hoffman, b. 1773 4 males age 16-26 Daniel Hoffman b. 1798 Frederick Hoffman b. 1799 Andrew Hoffman b. between 1790-1800 Jonathan Hoffman b. 1803 1 male age 10-16 Abraham Hoffman b. 1804 3 males under 10 Samuel Hoffman b. 1807 Simon Hoffman b. 1807 Jonas Hoffman b. 1814/1816 3 females under 10 Rosanna Hoffman b. 1813 * Mary Ann Hoffman b. between 1810-1815 anna Mariah md Andrew Reid Barbara Hoffman b. 1817	Clear Creek, Fairfield, OH	GS# 181,393, p. 94A. 4 males in agriculture.

	Elizabeth Shartle for $380.00: pt N 1/2 Sec 27 T12 R20		
c. 1813	daughter Rosannah born	Fairfield County, OH	
1813	taxed; unimproved land $250	Lykens, Dauphin, PA	
1814	taxed; unseated lands $1500 value, 100 acres by warrant	Lykens, Dauphin, PA	
30 Apr 1814-1816	son Jonas born	Fairfield County, OH	
1815	taxed; unseated lands $1500 value	Lykens, Dauphin, PA	
1816	taxed; unseated lands $1500 value	Lykens, Dauphin, PA	
11 Dec 1816	lots 20, 44 Shawsburg to be sold for .52 1/2 taxes; owner listed as Jacob Hoffman	Fairfield County, OH.	Deeds Vol. L, p. 195, GS# 295, 277.
1817	taxed; unseated lands 300 acres, $3240 value taxed to Peter Groff and Jacob Hoffman	Lykens, Dauphin Co., PA	
17 Oct 1817	Jacob bought 25 acres from Henry and Magdalena Holler for $411: pt SW 1/4 Sec 33 T12 R20	Fairfield County, OH	Deeds, Vol. M, p. 56. GS# 295, 278. Holler was also a Berks County, PA surname. A portion of this land was cut off previously for Michael Kessenger at the request of Abraham Dresback.

	census list		
1806	emigrated to Ohio with family	Fairfield County, OH	Walter Harvey stated, "Jacob migrated to Fairfield County, OH. Quite likely he started a small distillery in Tarleton and a trading business. It is said part of the old house is still standing."
25 Jan 1807	son Samuel born	Fairfield County, OH	
1807	taxed; unseated lands $133	Upper Paxton, Dauphin, PA	
c. 1807	son Simon born	Fairfield County, OH	Age 43, 1850 census.
1808	taxed; 200 acres unseated land value $150	Upper Paxton, Dauphin, PA	
1809	taxed; unseated lands value $150	Upper Paxton, Dauphin, PA	
1810	taxed; the same		Note: the 1810 census for Ohio counties did not survive. Tax rolls are often used as a substitute.
* (nov 27-1814) is correct 1810-1815	anna mirah daughter Mary born	Fairfield County, OH	
1810-1815	daughter Barbara born	Fairfield County, OH	
1811	taxed; "empressed land" $250 value 100 acres	Lykens, Dauphin, PA	Upper Paxton Twp divided in 1811.
1812	taxed; unimproved land $250 value	Lykens, Dauphin, PA	
8 Mar 1813	Jacob Sr. and his son Jacob Jr. bought 161 acres from Philip and	Fairfield County, OH	Deeds, Vol. J, p. 271 GS# 295, 276. Shartle was a Berks County, PA surname.

OHIO KINFOLK NEWSLETTER
KARSHNER, KERSHNER, KIRSCHNER

SUMMER

DEAR KINFOLK,

The joys of Spring are finally upon us as all of creation is awakening from it's sleep, and soon the warmer days will usher in the summer months. The heart of man should be filled to the top !" God is clothed with splendor and majesty! He wraps himself in light as with a garment .Stretches out the heavens like a tent,and lays the beams of his upper chambers on their waters. He makes the clouds his chariot and rides on the wings of the wind .He makes winds his messengers, flames of fire his servants. He makes springs pour water into the revines; that flows between the mountains. They give water to all the beasts of the field; the birds of the air nest by the waters; they sing among the branches. He waters the mountains from his upper chambers; the earth is satisfied by the fruit of his work. He makes grass grow for the cattle and plants for man to cultivate,bringing forth food from the earth. His wine, that gladdens the heart for man, oil to make his face shine, and bread that sustains his heart. The moon marks off the seasons, and the sun knows when to go down. The man goes out to his work, to his labor until evening. "We all have been blessed , as these writings of David,Solomon,Moses, and Asaph, relate.

Family is another precious gift from God given to enjoy for the seasons of our life.

Karen

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SEVENTEENTH ANNUAL KERSHNER REUNION

Sunday,May 29, 1994 Butler City Hall ,Butler Mo.

Registration will begin at 10:00 A.M. and dinner (a carry-in) at 12:30. Please notify all members of family and all your kinfolk. We want to MEET you and GREET you!!
Accomodations available: Butler,Mo. : Butler Inn Motel 816-679-6183 ,Nelson Motel 816-679-3144 Passaic Mo. : Diehl Camp Ground 816-679-3313.
For more information about this reunion contact: Bob Kershner-Rt 1, Box 181, Amsterdam,Mo. 64723 Phone (816) 267-3687. Bonnie Jackson Rt 2, Adrian, Mo. 64720 Phone(816) 0267-3687 .Naomi Kershner 1008 Ruby, Butler Mo. (8160 679-5449. If you wish to join us for dinner on Sat. May 28, please let us know so we can make reservations.

"HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE".

KARSHNER, KERSHNER, KIRSCHNER REUNION

Sunday,October 9, 1994
Laurelville Church of God Shelter House
16457 State Route 56
Laurelville,Ohio
(carry -in) 12:30
Come fellowship with your loved ones
Bring your favorite baby picture

BERKS COUNTY GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY

P.O. box 14774 ,Reading Pennsylvania 19612

Tuesday, March 29, 1994

Dear Member:

It is our pleasure to inform you that interim housing has been obrained for the B.C.G.S. Research Library on the campus of Kutztown University at Kutztown, Pennsylvania. On Wednesday, March 23rd, 1994 our library was moved from Albright College to room #106 of the "Old Main" building on the Kutztown campus. We are happy to report that all our materials have been unpacked and are currently being arranged in anticipation of opening the Library to our members on Tuesday, April 5th,1994. Our primary goal at this time is to supply you with a fully operational facility as soon as possible.

LIBRARY SCHEDULE

The following schedule shall be in effect from Tuesday, April 5th until a new schedule is announced: Mondays-11:A.M. to 4:30 P.M., Tuesdays 9:00 A.M. to 9:00 P.M. ,Wednesdays 10:00 A.M. to 4 P.M. Thursdays Closed. ,Fridays -10:00 A.M. to 4 P.M. Saturdays Undecided as of yet Call Sylvia A. Graybill(610) 678-5161. Sundays 2:00P.M. to 8:00 P.M. (3rd & 4th Sun. of Mo.).

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The Board of Directors

HISTORY OF HOCKING CO.OHIO 1850's

Charles Spencer, son of James C. and Eleanor (Karshner) Spencer, was born in Ross County, Ohio, April 20, 1830. He was married Jan. 24, 1857, to Jane Strous, daughter of John and Angeline Strous, of Pickaway County, Ohio. They have five children -James , Mary J. Anna, John and Ella. The first year after his marriage he lived with his father, and then went to Pickaway County, and lived two years. In 1860 he returned to Hocking

County,and lived on what was known as the Larrick farm, till 1873. He then bought his brother's interest in the home farm and returned to the old homestead.

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William Armstrong- The Armstrongs were among the earliest settlers of Hocking County. Thomas Armstrong was born in Franklin county, Pa. June 15, of that memorable year of our country"s history ,1775, and came to Hocking County in his twenty-fourth year. He married the same year , having come to Ohio in the year 1801, and settled soon after in Salt Creek Township. Miss Patton was born June 15, 1783, being just eight years her husband's junior.They were married October 16, 1802. To Mr. & Mrs Armstrong were born nine children: James,Oct. 1803; Ann, Dec. 19, 1805. deceased wife of D.K. Debaugh; George Flanningham, born April 19, 1808; William, Oct. 28, 1810; John March 4, 1813; Thomas, May 30, 1815; Mary Me. Jan 18, 1818, Margaret, Jan 11, 1822; George Dec. 25, 1826. All of the above have crossed the mustic rier for the golden shore excepting Mary Me., now the widow of Jacob Bussard, residing in Reading, Ill. and William, the subject of this sketch.

William Armstrong, whose birth is recorded above, resided with his parents on the farm until he reached man's estate and took upon himself the cares of a family. He married Miss Susahah Fetherolf, one of a family of noble pioneers who became prominent in the early history of the valley. The result of this marriage was a family of 10 children, 4 sons and 6 daughters- Jame, wife of Alvin Ranck: Minerva wife of Zara McDaniel; Caroline Mowry: Mary Ann, wife of Samuel McClleland; Susanah, wife of Albert Wolf;Nelson,who married Alice Dillon; Gerorge B. married Sarah Ann Dunkle, Emma C. deceased ,late wife of John T. Albin; Cinderella, late of wife of A. J. Wise, but now deceased; William T. who married Mace Kittsmiller.

Mr. Armstrong lost his wife over a quarter of a century Oct. 17, 1863/ They had passed through the trials and struggles of pioneer days emerging into the broad sunlight of prosperity and rest when they were called to part. Mr. Armstrong married again April 13, 1865, this second wife being Mrs. Ellen A. Floyd, a daughter of Alexander White and widow of the late John M. Floyd ,both honest, honorable and trusted citizens. The fruit of this marriage was 1 child;Minnie.

Mr. Armstrong has always followed that noblest of occupations, a farmer's life, and with rare tact and judgment combined with strong sense his labor has proved profitable, and he has gathered the fruits of a well-spent and laborious life around him in such quantity as to make life a pleasure-a well cultivated farm, a good house and a full granary. Mr. Armstrong, although over three-score years and ten, being now, seventy-three years of age, is a hearty, vigorious old man, enjoying a clear conscience, good health, his latter days being days of peace and plenty, with a loved family and friends around him. Mr. Armstrong ,served two terms as County Commissiioner of Hocking County, from 1860-1866, a time that tried the honesty, judgment and nerve of the incumbent, and he filled the office with credit to himself and to the honor of his county. As one of the most prosperous farmers in the county, a Christian gentleman, active in the cause of religion and morality, in sympathy with the doctrines of the Lutheran church, he stands as a representative man in his county,and can look back upon a well-spent life without sorrow and without reproach. Mrs. Armstrong is an active member of the Methodist Church, and they are floating down the pathway of life hand in hand, with peace and plenty here, and hereafter life everlasting.

The Karshner's married into the Armstrong ,Dunkel Flanningham,Fetherolf,and McClelland Families.

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Husband: DANIEL KARSHNER II

Born: April 24, 1799 in: BERKS COUNTY,PENNSYLVANIA
Married: February 15, 1827 in: ROSS COUNTY,OHIO
Died: February 20, 1876 in: ROSS COUNTY,OHIO COLERAIN TWP./MAPLE GROVE CEM HALLSVILLE,OHIO
Father: DANIEL KARSHNER I / KERSHNER
Mother: MARY (DAVIS) KARSHNER
Other Spouses:

Wife: REBECCA (FLANINGAM) KARSHNER

Born: March 14, 1801 in: VIRGINIA
Died: November 22, 1874 in: ROSS COUNTY,OHIO COLERAIN TWP./HALLSVILLE,OHIO MAPLE GROVE CEM.
Father: GEORGE FLANINGAM
Mother: POLLY OR MARY (LARRICK) FLANINGAM
Other Spouses:

CHILDREN

1 M
Name: CHARLES KARSHNER
Born: April 7, 1838 in: ROSS COUNTY,OHIO
Married: in:
Died: July 13, 1905 in: MAPLE GROVE CEM. HALLSVILLE,OHIO
Spouse:

2 M
Name: NELSON D. KARSHNER
Born: February 28, 1845 in: ROSS COUNTY,OHIO
Married: in:
Died: March 17, 1865 in: MAPLE GROVE CEM. HALLSVILLE,OHIO ROSS COUNTY
Spouse:

3 M
Name: ALLEN KARSHNER
Born: 1834 in: ROSS COUNTY, OHIO
Married: November 21, 1865 in: ROSS COUNTY,OHIO
Died: 1919 in: MAPLE GROVE CEM. HALLSVILLE,OHIO ROSS COUNTY
Spouse: SUSANNAH (BOOKWALTER) KARSHNER

4 F
Name: MARY (KARSHNER) HOLDERMAN
Born: June 16, 1827 in: ROSS COUNTY,OHIO/COLERAIN TWP.
Married: March 2, 1845 in: ROSS COUNTY,OHIO
Died: December 27, 1891 in: MAPLE GROVE CEM. HALLSVILLE,OHIO
Spouse: ELIHU HOLDERMAN

5 F
Name: NANCY (KARSHNER) HOLMAN
Born: in:
Married: October 6, 1849 in:
Died: in:
Spouse: GEORGE HOLMAN

6 F
Name: REBECCA (KARSHNER) HAYNES
Born: in:
Married: November 10, 1857 in:
Died: in:
Spouse: HENRY HAYNES

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OHIO KINFOLK NEWSLETTER
KARSHNER, KERSHNER, KIRSCHNER

SPRING 1994

Dear Kinfolk,

The winter of 1994 will remain in memory as a,"WINTER WONDERLAND"! In my lifetime I have never experienced a temperature of 34 below,or seen such beauty covered with ice! It was as if one entered into the pages of a story book to view the world through glass. Getting accustom to the ice quickly established admiration for the olimpics,especially in these Hocking Hills!

Beauty still surrounds us,and it's a wonderful time to get those Family pictures out ,write to loved ones, and add new information to your old records!

We are looking forward to serving you another year with our Ohio Kinfolk Newsletter, and enjoy your letters of response! Make beautiful memories with your Family, and have a beautiful Spring !

Karen

A LETTER FROM GERMANY

By

Cheryl (Spencer) Jordan

Over the past few years, while living in Berlin ,Germany I have had the opportunity to get a first hand glimpse as to what life was like in the twelfth century farming village in Europe. The beginnings of the Museumsdorf can be traced back to the 1940's,when a youth, searching for metal fragments in a bomb crater in the Zehlendorf section of Berlin discovered a few fragments of broken pottery. Since they looked different from any he had seen, he took them to his school teacher who he knew had an interest in archeology. Thus began the excavation and reproduction of the Museumsdorf Dupple.(Dorf is the German word for village so it is the Museum Village of Duppel).

As an American Military Dependent and Department of Defense teacher assigned to Berlin, I discovered the Museumsdorf on one of muy early exploration trips around Berlin with my friend and fellow fiber person, Barbara Walker. When our interest in spinning and weaving was noted by one of the demonstrators at the Wool Hut in the village ,we were asked if we would like to join the support group. That began my involvement in a marvelous adventure through time.

So what does an American spinner do in a twelfth century village? For starters, have a wonderful time playing make believe. When the museum is open I often dress in the costume of the day—a very "elegant", handwoven T-dress of tow linen, a card woven belt with a possibilities bag attached, and a scarf of handwoven linen of a better quality than the dress to cover my hair. I usually go barefoot if the weather is at all warm but the usual footware is handcarved wooden "sandles" and Nadelbendin socks. All modern touches must be removed. They are very strick about this. (One Sunday when I got there ,Renate, one of the college student volunteers was frantically filing nail polish off her toe nails with an emery board.)

The spindle used in the village is a straight dowel, slightly pointed at each end with a removable bisque fired ceramic whorl. The whorl is approximately 4 cm in diameter and the shaft is 28 cm long. Although we usually use modern carding techniques to prepare the wool for spinning, it is believed that teasel burrs may have been used to augment .hand teasing.

Over the last two years the group has also been experimenting with a primitive version of the high wheel. The original design was based on an old sketch found in a museum in Munich. This proved to be somewhat misleading since the proportions were not accurate. After a few trials and much input from the pictures I had taken of the wonderful High wheel collection at Convergence "88 in Toronto, we came up with a working model. Since it must be made from materials and techniques that were available at the time of the village, it was more of a task that just reproducing a working wheel.

The looms in the village are mostly the weighted warp varity. Although stones were often used in this type of loom evidence had been found to show that bisque fired clay weights were also used. The village looms use primarily cermic weights. Weaving is also done on a circular warp frame loom. This loom is similar tot eh warp weighted loom but the tension is kept on the warp by warp beams that can be moved closer together as the warp is tightened by the weaving. The warp is a continous line going first one direction then the other and circling the cross bar.

Nadelbinden, the forerunner of knitting and crochetting, is the technique used to produce socks, gloves and other garments that would not have been produced on a loom. It is similar to knitting and crochetting in that it is a series of knots but it is created by using a needle.

Felting was also a technique used in the village. Hats were created by felting fleece. The socks and gloves created by using Nadelbinden were often felted to make them stronger and warmer. Whole fleeces were felted on one side creating a single peice that could be used as a rug and wrap.

The most important project to be completed by the Wool Group since I have been active at Duppell is a reproduction of a jacket found at an Iron Age dig site in Ost Freisland and currently on display in a museum in Hanover, Germany. It was woven in one piece shaping the sleeves and neck on the loom. A wrap weighted loom with 3 shed bars was used producing a twill weave. All of the yarn was hand spun from wool produced by the sheep in the village. The breed of sheep raised here is the Skudde, an old breed similar to what may have been raised in the original village. The neck and shoulders have stitched embellishment created from hand spun wool that has been dyed with madder. Although most of members of the wool group worked on at least one phase of the project, the majority of the work was done by Annalies Goldman, Heidi Stolte, Brigitte Freudenberg.

In summer of '93 I traveled with the Wool Group to demonstrate the techniques of our village at a sister museum in Biskupin,Poland. Biskupin is also an archaeological site but of an older time. It dates from about 900 A.D. Although older it was more prosperous with much better living conditions. Nonetheless,the spinning and weaving techniques used in the village there were similar to those used in Duppel. I worked with the High Wheel and answered questions. Since English is spoken more often in this part of Poland than is German I had a definite advantage. The most common question was, "How did an American get to this remote part of Poland,especially dressed like that?"And the question usually came from American exchange teachers with Polish school groups.

And what will I remember most of this wonderful international exchange with my German and Polish friends? Since I am a school teacher, I guess the children. At Biskupin, there was the group of Polish students who sang"If You're Happy and You Know It: in English and then Polish for variety me. There was the little one who asked his mother if we were speaking "Middle Ages Language" when we lapsed into English during a work session in the Muesumsdorf. And I;ll never forget the little boy who called me Frau Holle, a character from a German Fairy Tale. In the Museumsdorfs of Europe the Children and Archeology—our future and our past— come together .

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(Once again we thank Cheryl for her informative articles,and we send our very best wishes as she continues her work ,and shares her talent with the world.)

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LETTER FROM FALLING WATERS, W.V.

December 18,1993

Dear Karshner, Kershner, and Kirschner Cousins,

Yesterday we received the following note from Mary Elaine,who is Mary Maxwell's daughtes. (Mary Maxwell is the author of KERSHNER FAMILIES OF MARYLAND).

December 11,1993

Dear Dan & Alma,

I guess I'm going to ask if you would share this with the cousins, as I don't see how I can write to everyone right now. Mother fell and broke her hip on the 9th of Dec. only about 2 hours after I had left to return to Denver. She had seemed fine all day on the 9th and I had even taken her for a car ride. Unfortunately,she had been lying there for 24 hours before the neighbors noticed the drapes had not changed and knew something was wrong. I just talked to the Doctor and the hip is pinned and all is well for now. She is in recovery and will remain in the hospital for several days. then on to a rehab center for 6–8 weeks. The hip should heal in 3 months–Time will tell.

We all wish you, your family and ALL "K" Families the best of the Holiday Season and the New Year!

Love,Mary Elaine

(I know you would want to know about Mary. Please tell any Kershner Cousin you know. I don't have any hospital address but I'm sure any card sent to her home will get to her.

Our family is well and all will be here Christmas Day. As you might guess the grandchildren are all excited. Dan will be Santa at Danny's school this week. We hope you have a Merry Christmas and a Wonderful New Year.

Dan & Alma

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February 8,1994

Dear Karshner, Kershner and Kirschner Cousins,

Yesterday we received another note from Mary Maxwell's daughter,Mary Elaine. We had left a message on her answering machine awhile ago, asking about her Mother and this is the answer we got back:

January 27th

"I didnit ignore your call even though it probably seems like I did. Things have been rather crazy since then. Once more I am sitting in the surgery waiting room--waiting--waiting. Maybe your will remember that for some time she had been complaining about a specific problem,and a great deal of weakness off and on,and of course, after the hip surgery(which by the way went well) the problem continued with great gusto. I kept after the doctors about this and I guess he didn't think too much about it;but they began tests anyway. Unfortunately, the problem has been discovered-rectal cancer with a very large tumor at the base of the rectum. The surgery will involve removal of all rectal tissue and whatever amount of the colon they feel is necessary. Of course they will do some other checking for any spreading. I just talked to her primary doctor and I think he feels her biggest threat is during the next few days or up to two and a half weeks, is heart attack, stroke, kidney failure--you name it. In other words ,things do not look good, She did have a minor heart attack just after the hip surgery that she didn't even know about.

January 29

Mother is doing about as well as can be expected. She'll be in ICU for several more days or until she is able to breath on her own and other life signs are OK. I'll keep you posted. No news is good news or I just plain don't know."

(We were sorry to hear this news about Mary, as you probably also are. We know each of you must have also been wondering how she has been doing. We hope all is well with each of you. Our family has all been well this winter. We are having a real Winter,-with plenty of snow and cold as you probably have seen on the weather maps. Our yard has been snow covered since the first week in January, and the grandchildren have been out of school for more than ten days due to the bad weather. Happy Valentine's Day! Love,

Dan & Alma

Mary Maxwell

1622 W St Vrain

Colorado Springs Co. 80904

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Mary certainly has contributed so very much to our Karshner, Kershner, and Kirschner Families ! The information and research that went into The Kershner Families of Maryland has been such a treasure to those who cherish our Family History! Mary, you are in the thoughts and prayers of your Family!!!

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STAUDT/STOUDT/STOUT

Rear Admiral United States Navy, Retired

Herald Franklin Stout

15 June 1903 23 March 198

⚐⚐⚐Who was Herald Stout? ⚐⚐⚐

He was a child of God, with a deep Christian Faith which was never compromised to accomodate current social trends. As with generations of sea captains before him, he was responsible for the spiritual life of his men and conducted religious services for them under all types of situations and occasions, drawing upon his intimate knowledge of the rituals of various denominations.

He was a charter and present member of the United Church of Christ of La Mesa, giving to it and the congregation a full measure of his time, talent, worldly goods, and brotherly love ever since its founding, as he had in chruches with which he was previously affiliated. He was born June 15,1903 in Dover,Ohio

His father was killed in an industrial accident when he was four years old. With a widowed mother and younger brother and sister, he learned sulfreliance and responsibility very early in life,actually contributing to the support of the family from the age of nine years. He was a journeyman printer and foreman of printshop in his senior year of high school, graduating as valedictorian of his class;then on to the United States Naval Academy,graduating in the class of 1926.

He was an avid student of history and the affairs of man developing a keen interest in the progression of generations leading to a lifelong pursuit of the genealogy of four families:Tong, Finley, German Stouts and English Stouts. His skills as a typographer, photographer and genealogist lead to the recorded history of these four families in a series of books which he published over a period of years. His latest, "Stout and Allied

Families," is an 800 page,30,000 name treaties published in 1986 and brought home from the bindery in January 1987.

He was a loving husband, father and grandfather. On the day he graduated from the Naval Academy, he married his hometown sweetheart,Louise F. Finley. To this union were born three sons who servive him: Army Lt. Col. Herald Franklin Stout,Jr.,retired; Army Colonel Bruce Finley Stout, retired; and Navy Reserve Captain Peter Christian Stout.*** ... After ten years as a widower, Herald married Zoe E. Anderson on July 25, 1976 in the church where they met and worked together in Christian Fellowship.***...

He was a Patriot, serving his country from 1926 to 1956 as a commissioned Naval Officer. Most of his service was in command of destroyers and destroyer squadrons involved in action with the Pacific Fleet. In command of the USS Breeze,achored at Pearl Harbor on December 7, 1941,he fired up his ship and went out to sea to do battle. From then until the end of World War II he was in the combat zone for all but six months. As commander of the destroyer USS Claxton, he participated with the "Little Beavers" Destroyer Squadron 23 in the last surface battle of World War II, the battle of Cape St. George,which put the Japanese Navy to rout and earned the only squadron citation ever given, "For conspicuous gallantry and intredipity" and for "extraordinary heroism" during this and other action in World War II, he twice received the Navy Cross and two silver stars.

He received the Distinguished Service Medal for action in Korea where he was in command of Mine Squadron 9 and in command of Western Pacific Mine Sweeping Force of 30 ships. In 1956 he was acting Commandant of the 11th Naval District when he retired as a Rear Admiral.

As a civilian, he was a member of design engineers with Conair who produced the Atlas Missle.

He is a patron of the Foundation for the National Library and Museum on Americanism at Collingwood, Alexandria, Va., the home of the National Sojourners.

He was a Brother of the Fraternity of Free and Accepted Masons.

NOTE

Herald is not a direct descendant of Johann and Maria Katherine Kerchner Stout. He is a descendant of Johann Peter Staru(1712-1795) and 2nd wife Eva Elizabeth Keuchlen(1719-1797).On 24 September 1737m Johann Peter Staut arrived in Philadelphia in ship "Virtuous Grace". settled at Plainfield,Northampton Co.Pennsylvania.

IN HIS HONOR

October 24, 1992 ,The United States Navy authorized the construction of a destroyer bearing Herald F. Stout's name. The Christening took place in Pascagoula, Mississippi with the Stout Family participating in the ceremonies.

USS STOUT

STOUT(DDG55) is the fifth ship to be christened into the US Navy's newest, most powerful destroyer class-- the ARLEIGH BURKE (DDG 51) AEGIS GUIDED MISSILE DESTROYER. The 504-foot ,8,300-ton STOUT will operate eith aircraft carriers and battle groups in higthreat environments-and will also provide essential escort capabilities to Navy and Marine amphibious forces, combat logistics ships, and convoys. The ship will be operated by a crew of approximately 340 officers and crewmembers.

The Stout's Aegis Combat System,the world's foremost naval weapons system, includes the AN/SPY 1D phased array radar, which scans in all directions simutaneously to detect track,and engage hundreds of aircraft and missiles while continously watching the sky for new targets from wavetop to the stratosphere. The ship is equipped with the Mk 41 Vertical Launching System, which fires a combination of up to 90 Standard surface-to-air Tomahawk surface -to-land ,and surface-to-surface and vla antisubmarine missiles;and an AN/SQQ89 Anti-submarine Warfare System ,with a bowmounted AN/SQR19 towed array.Stout will have deck-mounted Harpoon anti-ship millile launchers and MK Weapon Systems and a five-inch ,rapid-firing deck gun. DDG 55 also features the LAMPS MK III CONTROL SYSTEM,with helicopter landing and replenishment facilities.

The ship matches maxium survavability with potent offensive capability. In the Aegis destroyer program, the Navy returns to all-steel construction ,and extensive topside armon is placed around vital combat systems and machinery spaces. A comprehensive Collective Protection System guards against nuclear, chemical and biological agents.

A new large-waterplane-area hull form significantly improves seakeeping ablility. Vital systems are hardened against electromagneticpulse and overpressure damage. Acoustic infrared and raday signatures have been reduced. State-of-the-art propulsion and damage control systems are managed by an all-new data multiplexing sustem.

The truly multimission Aegis destroyers are the most balanced warships ever built,possessing the weapons, electronics, helicopter support facilities, and propulsion, auxiliary and survivability sustems to carry out the US Navy's missions today, and into the next century.

(A BIG THANK YOU TO HELEN METTLER OF CHILLICOTHE,OHIO FOR CONTRIBUTING THE STOUT FAMILY ARTICLE)--WE CELEBRATE WITH YOU.

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From Parent to Child

Author Unknown

(Basic truths that will help us keep our family relationships in perspective.)

I gave you life,but cannot live it for you.
I can teach you things, but I cannot make you learn.
I can give you directions, but I cannot be there to lead you.
I can allow you freedom, but I cannot account for it.
I can take you to church, but I cannot make you believe.
I can teach you right from wron, but I cannot always decide for you.
I can buy you beautiful clothes, but I cannot make you beautiful inside.
I can offer you advice, but I cannot accept it for you.
I can give you love, but I cannot force it upon you.
I can teach you to share,but I cannot make you unselfish.

I can teach you respect ,but I cannot force you to show honor.
I can advise you about friends, but I cannot choose them for you.
I can tell you about lofty goals, but I can't achieve them for you.
I can teach you about kindness,but I can't force you to be gracious.
I can warn you about sins,but I cannot make your morals.
I can love you as a child,but I cannot place you in God's Family.
I can teach you about Jesus,but I cannot make Jesus your Lord.
I can tell you how to live, but I cannot give you Eternal Life.

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"OUR KEYSTONE FAMILIES"

(A GREAT ARTICLE FOR ALL BERKS COUNTY CONNECTIONS!)

Dear genealogical friends, *Schuyler C. Brossman*

So many people have been writing to me about my column on genealogy ."Our Keystone Families" is published once a week in two Pennsylvania newspapers .These are the Daily News,Lebanon Pa. and the Press & Journal,of Middletown,Pa. The same column appears in each paper.

Subject matter in the column pertains to anything of interest in genealogical research. Sometimes a feature on genealogical matters,book reviews, new societies, new publicationa and quarterlies, newly discovered records, genealogy meeting of various natures, reunions, family newsletters, a section on queries, etc.

The query section is very popular and enables persons working on the same families to learn of one another so research effort may be shared. Queries are free to everyone,but subscribers queries are run first,if known. Each query must have a Pennsylvania connection, include at least one date, and should not be more than 150 words.

Your name and address will appear with your query. If any reader can help you he will get in touch with you.

Anyone not subscribing to either of the papers may buy single copies of the paper for $1.00 postpaid. If ordering a single copy so you may have the paper in which your query appears, please be sure to give the column number and the date of publication. If you have sent me a query, and included a stamped envelope, this will inform you that your query was ,or will be, published in Col. No ___ on _____ .If you would like a copy of that paper, please send me $1.00 but be sure your mention at least the date so I will not have to search through the back issues for the paper you want.

Anyone interested in subscribing to the PRESS & JOURNEL may send a check of $27.00 to me for a year's subscription $15,00 in Pennsylvania as the postage is less for subscribers within the state.The Daily News of Lebanon, Pa. costs $122.20 per year. If you do subscribe,please ask to have it begin on the date your query is published,or before,and do not send money for the single copy.

If you do send for a single copy and a subscription, perhaps for a friend, DO Not combine the order. Send only a check for either $27.00 or $15.00.Each must be handled seperately.

I do not do research for others. Writing this column is a hobby I am retired from a full time job in an industrial plant. I am not employed by any of the newspapers above. I have been writing/editing this column for over 25 years.more than 1300 columns,as of January 1992.

If you tell others about my column and tell them to write to me, please ask them to enclose a stamped envelope if they need a reply as I do not get an expense allowance from the newspaper.

Husband: CONRAD KERSHNER II

Born: August 1, 1744 In: PERRY TWP. BERKS CO. PA.
Marriage: ABOUT 1768 In: BERKS CO. PENNSYLVANIA
Died: 1813 In: BURIED ZION CEM. WINDSOR CASTLE BERKS CO.
Father: JOHANNES CONRAD I KERSHNER
Mother: CATHERINE (BEK) KERSHNER
Other Spouses:

Wife: CATHERINE "KATE"(REISER) KERSHNER

Born: ABOUT 1745 In: MAIDENCREEK TWP BERKS CO.PA.
Died: 1840 In: BURIED ZION CEM. WINDSOR CASTLE BERKS CO.
Father: JOHN REISER
Mother: ELIZABETH (LEVAN) REISER
Other Spouses:

CHILDREN

1 M
Name: CONRAD III KERSHNER
Born: September 20, 1770 In: HEIDELBERG TWP BERKS CO. PA.
Marriage: April 8, 1792 In:
Died: May 31, 1850 In: WINDSOR CASTLE,BERKS CO. PA /ZION CEM
Spouse: ANNA MARIA (HIX) KERSHNER

2 M
Name: DANIEL KARSHNER I/KERSHNER
Born: November 7, 1772 In: BERKS COUNTY PENNSYLVANIA
Marriage: BEFORE 1799 In: BERKS COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA
Died: May 7, 1852 In: ROSS COUNTY, OHIO
Spouse: MARY (DAVIS) KARSHNER

3 M
Name: JACOB KARSHNER
Born: April 27, 1775 In: BERKS,COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA
Marriage: March 11, 1800 In: BERKS CO. PENNSYLVANIA
Died: April 22, 1863 In: ADELPHI,OHIO /ROSS CO.
Spouse: MARY MAGDALENE (DUNKELBERGER) KARSHNER

4 M
Name: ANTHONY KERSHNER
Born: April 4, 1777 In: HEIDELBERG TWP. BERKS CO. PA.
Marriage: In:
Died: September 30, 1778 In: PENNSYLVANIA
Spouse:

5 F
Name: ELIZABETH (KERSHNER) SHOEMAKER
Born: January 5, 1779 In: BERKS CO. PENNSYLVANIA
Marriage: November 22, 1801 In:
Died: In: WINDSOR CASTLE,BERKS CO. PA.ZION CH
Spouse: CHARLES SHOEMAKER II

6 F
Name: CATHERINE (KERSHNER) MERKEL
Born: April 3, 1781 In:
Marriage: 1803 In:
Died: January 1, 1870 In:
Spouse: JACOB MERKEL

7 F
Name: MARIA (KERSHNER) STOUDT
Born: April 23, 1784 In:
Marriage: In:
Died: In:
Spouse: JOHN STOUDT

8 M
Name: JOHN KERSHNER
Born: February 27, 1789 In:
Marriage: In:
Died: December 10, 1863 In:
Spouse: CATHERINE (HERTZ) KERSHNER

9 F
Name: SUSANNA (KERSHNER) DREIBELBIS
Born: February 27, 1789 In:
Marriage: In:
Died: March 29, 1865 In:

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WINTER 1993

OHIO KINFOLK NEWS LETTER
KARSHNER, KERSHNER, KIRSCHNER

Frohe Weihnachten
und alles Gute
im neuen Jahr

SPRINGERLE COOKIE HISTORY

The word Springerle is derived from a German dialect and means "Small jumping horse." Originally the horse was the sacred animal of Wotan, King of Nordic Gods. The history of these picture cookies dates back to the pagan rites of Germanic tribes during their annual celebration of Julfest or Winter Solstice. It was customary to sacrifice real animals. And it was said that those who could not afford to sacrifice of animals offered instead tokens of dough baked in the shapes of animals. Wooden molds were made for embossing dough. Gradually the molds included the forms of people, birds, flowers and fruit. These pale, hard cookies sometimes called "dunking cakes," have a pleasant lemon-anise flavor.

In more modern times, the cookies were used for decorating the Christmas tree and as gifts to the children. Sometimes, Grandmother would have a special mold for each grandchild at Christmas. In the United States, it is not uncommon to find these delightful molds still used by Pennsylvania Dutch families as a tradition brought from the "old country." The molds can be found in the shape of cylinders, like a rolling pin with small designs carved on the round surface, or as a plate with several individual designs or as single blocks. Modern machinery has provided the ability to mass produce these molds. However, the hand carved molds remain as the object of value and are often displayed as an object d'art when not being used to form a unique cookie.

SPRINGERLE COOKIES

This recipe (from Germany) is for the well-known German Anise Cakes which are stamped with a wooden mold into quaint little designs and figures.

4 large eggs
4 cups confectioners sugar
1 teaspoon anise extract or 4 tablespoons anise seed
4 cups cake flour
1 teaspoon baking powder

Beat eggs till light, gradually add sugar and continue beating at a high speed until batter is thick and lemon colored. Add anise. Sift flour and baking powder and blend with egg mixture at a low speed. Cover bowl with wax paper or foil and let stand 15 min. so dough is easier to work with. Divide into 3rds. On lightly floured surface roll dough to 8" square, 1/4" thick. Let rest 1 minute. Flour mold and press design, cut around design and place cookie on greased cookie sheet. Cover with a towel all night (or make sure that cookies sit at least 12 hours before baking). Brush off excess flour from the cookies. Bake 12 minutes at 325 degrees. Cookies will brown on bottom, but not on top as they bake. Cookies will rise, but not spread during baking. Store cookies in a tight container, place a cut apple in the jar if cookies become too hard. Lemon or almond flavoring could be substituted for anise. After cookies have cooled the design can be painted with food coloring and a fine brush. By punching a hole at the top of each cookie before they are baked, one can insert colorful ribbon and hang them on the Christmas tree as traditionally done.

MAY THE GLAD TIDINGS OF CHRISTMAS
BRING YOU JOY ALL YEAR!!!
"For unto us a child is born,
unto us a son is given
and is name shall be called
WONDERFUL, COUNSELLOR
PRINCE OF PEACE."
ISAIAH 9:6

We wish to thank the following 'KINFOLK" for contribution to our 1993 " K" NEWSLETTER: Greg Hartley, Ines Spencer, Helen Mettler, Roger Karshner Burnell Karshner, Pauline Beglin, Debbie Wright, Evelyn Leisure, Your efforts were deeply appreciated!

THE KERSHNER FAMILY ASSOCIATION
1449 FOX RUN DRIVE
CHARLOTTE, NC 28212

October 20, 1993

TO ALL MY FRIENDS IN THE KERSHNER FAMILY ASSOCIATION:

It is with deep regret that I AM CEASING PUBLICATION of "Kershner Kinfolk" with this issue.

Due to a layoff in my company, I am accepting early retirement which will cause some transition upheavals. Until such time as my situation is more settled, I must devote full time to exploring my options.

We hope that in the near future we will be able to pick up where we left off, either with a new Editor, or myself, but in the meantime, I wish you all the best and thank you all for your support over the past twelve years.

Sincerely,

Bill

William E. Kershner, Jr.
Editor

GREG
BRENDA
MARK
DARREL
PETER
PAUL
MARY
JOHN
NANCY
VICKY

THE PRICELESS BERLIN GERMANY LETTER YOU ARE
ABOUT TO READ COMES TO US FROM THE HEART OF
CHERYL (SPENCER) JORDAN. (CHERYL IS FORMALLY
FROM LAURELVILLE,OHIO.)

CHERYL'S KARSHNER LINEAGE
JOHN & INES(KARSHNER) SPENCER
CLOYCE & BEATRICE(DAUGHERTY) KARSHNER
THOMAS & ETTA(METTLER) KARSHNER
NELSON SR. & ANNA (HOSLER) KARSHNER
JOHN & ELIZABETH(SPANGLER)KARSHNER
DANIEL SR & MARY(DAVIS) KARSHNER
CONRAD II & CATHERINE(REISER) KERSHNER
CONRAD I & CATHERINE (BEK) KERSHNER OF GERMANY
(CHERYL HAS MANY ARTISTIC AND TEACHING ABILITIES,
AND ENJOYS SHARING THEM WITH"OUR MOTHER COUNTRY")

(A SPECIAL THANK YOU TO INES SPENCER ,FOR SHARING HER CHRISTMAS LETTER.!!!)

Dec. 15, 1993

Dear Mother,

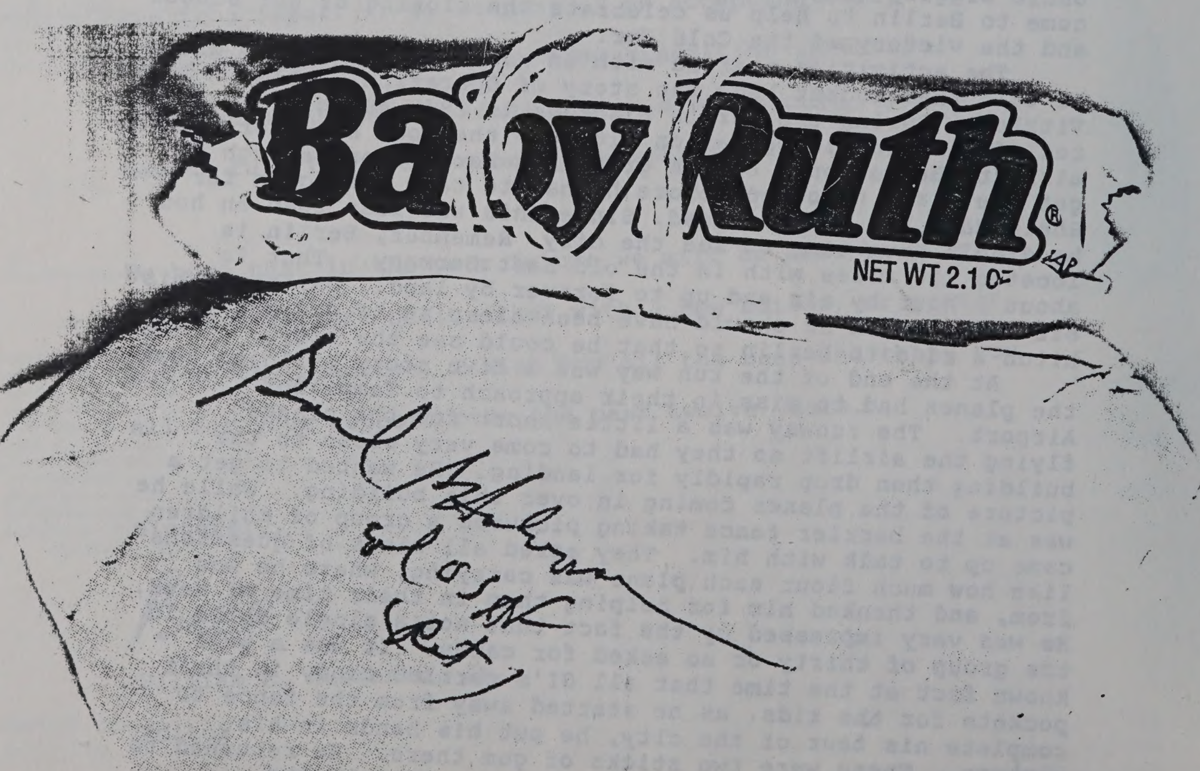
I am sitting here in my classroom at Thomas A. Roberts Elementary School in Berlin Germany with a Baby Ruth candy bar attached to a square of bed sheet. It is one of the most exciting items I've collect in my stay here in Germany. It ranks up there with my cobble stone from the walk around the Checkpoint Charlie Command Post. Why is this so exciting? Because a half hour ago it was dropped from a helicopter by Col. Gail Halverson. Yes, the real Gail Halverson - alias Uncle Wiggley Wings, the original Chocolate Bomber. He has come to Berlin to help us celebrate the closing of our school and the victory of the Cold War.

The activities started with an assembly in the gym where he told the student body the story of Operation Little Vittles. During the Berlin Blockade in 1948-49, he flew relief missions in Operation Vittles- the code name for the airlift. He was only on the ground in Berlin long enough to get the plane unloaded before he had to take off again for Rhein Main and another load. Since this was less than an hour he didn't have time to see the city. Remember, Berlin is located 150 miles with in the old East Germany. That is about 1 hour by air and up to forever by land. On one of his off shifts when he should have been sleeping he decided to hitch a ride to Berlin so that he could see the city.

At the end of the run way was a five story building that the planes had to miss in their approach to Tempelhof Airport. The runway was a little short for the planes flying the airlift so they had to come very close to the building then drop rapidly for landing. He wanted to get a picture of the planes coming in over this building. While he was at the barrier fence taking pictures a group of children came up to talk with him. They asked all kinds of questions like how much flour each plane was carrying, where he was from, and thanked him for helping them in their time of need. He was very impressed by the fact that not a single child in the group of thirty or so asked for candy. It was a well known fact at the time that all GI's carried candy in their pockets for the kids. as he started away from the fence to complete his tour of the city, he put his hands in his pockets. There were two sticks of gum there. He returned to the fence and breaking them in half gave them to the translators in the group. The look on their faces at the luck of such a treasure and the fact that they did not fight over the meager offering convinced him to start his own airlift - Operation Little Vittles. He told the children to watch for him on his run the next day and he would drop enough candy for all of them. He would dip his wings so they would know it was him and be ready to claim the prize. They next day as three bundles of candy tied to handkerchief parachutes drifted from an American bomber to waiting German children one of the most loving chapters of international relations began.

He brought with him, Mercedes, one of the children who wrote to him with special instructions on how to get to her house since she was not able to get to one of the drop areas. Her house was the one with the white chickens in the yard. He told of Peter Zimmerman who sent detailed instructions on how to get to his house since he was only nine and had short legs. After several attempts and misses- reported by Peter in subsequent letters, Peter questioned how we won the war with such inept pilots. Each child received candy though because Col. Haverson mailed them each a package from Berlin.

What started as a simple random act of kindness grew into an international act of caring. Candy was delivered from all over the country to fill the handkerchief parachutes for his airdrops. And today our children had the opportunity to peek back at a phase of the history of Berlin- our own miniature Operation Little Vittles.



Retired Col. Gail Halvorsen prepares one of his candy bombs for deployment. Halvorsen, known as the Candy Bomber, re-enacted his famous bomb drops during the Berlin Airlift in 1948 from a UH-60 "Huey" helicopter dispersing more than 1,000 candy bars to the 700 children below.

Retired Col. Gail Halvorsen, the man many know as the Candy Bomber, flew one of his final candy bombing runs Dec. 15 dropping more than a thousand candy bars, with parachutes attached, upon the children of Thomas A. Roberts elementary school.

The 70-year-old Halvorsen dropped the candy bombs from a UH-60 "Huey" helicopter provided by the aviation detachment.

Diana Reynolds, president of the TAR Parents and Teachers Association helped organize the event and explained that it was part of TAR's Building Bridges Instead of Walls curriculum this year.

"It is part of our Berlin celebration," she said. "We are teaching the kids why we are in Berlin in the first place and why it is now time to leave."

As part of this initiative TAR teachers are focusing on certain parts of Berlin's history and in some cases re-enacting some of the most significant events.

One such event is Halvorsen's famous candy bombing runs. Halvorsen earned the monickers Candy Bomber and Uncle Wiggly Wings for his "bombing runs" during the Berlin airlift.

Halvorsen said that he had learned to fly in Garland, Utah. "Whenever I would fly over the farm, I would wiggle my wings at Mom and Dad" he said. "They would always wave back."

When children asked Halvorsen how they would know when the plane that was going to drop the candy was his he demonstrated by wiggling his arms up and down and they instantly knew what signal to look for.

Halvorsen began to receive letters from some of the children and some began to refer to him as Uncle Wiggly Wings for the famous signal that identified his particular plane.

Later when the press began to applaud his efforts the mission was dubbed "Operation Little Vittles" and supplies began pouring in from all over the World.

Halvorsen has stayed in touch with a few of the children whom he "bombed" many years ago.

One of those is Mercedes Wild. Wild had written a letter to Halvorsen telling him about her white chickens that had stopped laying eggs and had asked him to look for them and drop some chocolate in the yard. After many attempts to find the white chickens Halvorsen resorted to mailing some chocolate to Wild. Many years later when Halvorsen became commander of Templehof he received a persistent friendly dinner invitation for almost a year and a half before finally accepting. When he and his family arrived they were greeted by Wild who produced the letter Halvorsen had written to her many years ago.

This week a new generation of children learned of the generosity of the American spirit.

Randy Roberts, 10, said that learning about the children of Berlin during the Airlift made her sad. She added that it made her realize how good it is to be an American and to have all the freedoms that we have.

"I think it interesting that whether it was dropping candy bars from planes or handing them out on the street, people in the U.S. military have always had a special relationship with children wherever they went," he said. He said he thought the parachutes from his plane represented a piece of hope for something better in the future to the children in Berlin. Forty-five years later the future is now and this new generation of American children is learning how the acts of those from history helped insure that the Adults of today would have a future to grow up in.

"... whether it was dropping candy bars from planes or handing them out on the street, people in the U.S. military have always had a special relationship with children..."

Retired Col. Gail Halvorsen

Kelli Williamson's first grade class tosses its candy bombs in the air.

CORRECTION IN FALL ISSUE

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OOPS!!! (PLEASE EXCUSE MY ERROR!)
PLEASE ADD THESE NAMES TO THE FAMILY OF GUY KARSHNER:
GREAT GRANDSON: JAMIE BEGLIN
GREAT GREAT GRANDCHILDREN: BROOK, BRANDON, AND CRYSTA

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"FOOD FOR THOUGHT FOR 1994"

THIS IS TODAY

TODAY IS HERE. I WILL BEGIN WITH A SMILE AND RESOLVE TO BE AGREEABLE.

TODAY is here. I will begin with a smile and resolve to be agreeable. I will not criticize. I refuse to waste the valuable time God has given me.

TODAY has one thing in which I know I am equal with others -- time. All of us draw the same salary in seconds, minutes, and hours.

TODAY I will not waste my time, because the minutes I wasted yesterday are lost as a vanished thought.

TODAY I refuse to spend time worrying about what might happen. I am going to spend my time making things happen.

TODAY I am determined to study to improve myself, for tomorrow I may be needed, and I must not be found lacking.

TODAY I begin by doing, and not wasting my time. In one week I will be miles beyond the person I am today.

TODAY I will not imagine what I would do if things were different. I will make a success with what material I have.

TODAY I will stop saying, "If I had time...," for I never will "find time" for anything. If I want time, I must make it.

TODAY I will act toward other people as though this be my last day on earth. I will not wait for tomorrow. Tomorrow never comes.

Isaac Watts

O God, our Help in ages past,
Our Hope for years to come,
Our Shelter from the stormy blast,
And our Eternal Home!

Before the hills in order stood,
Or earth received her frame,
From everlasting Thou art God,
To endless years the same.

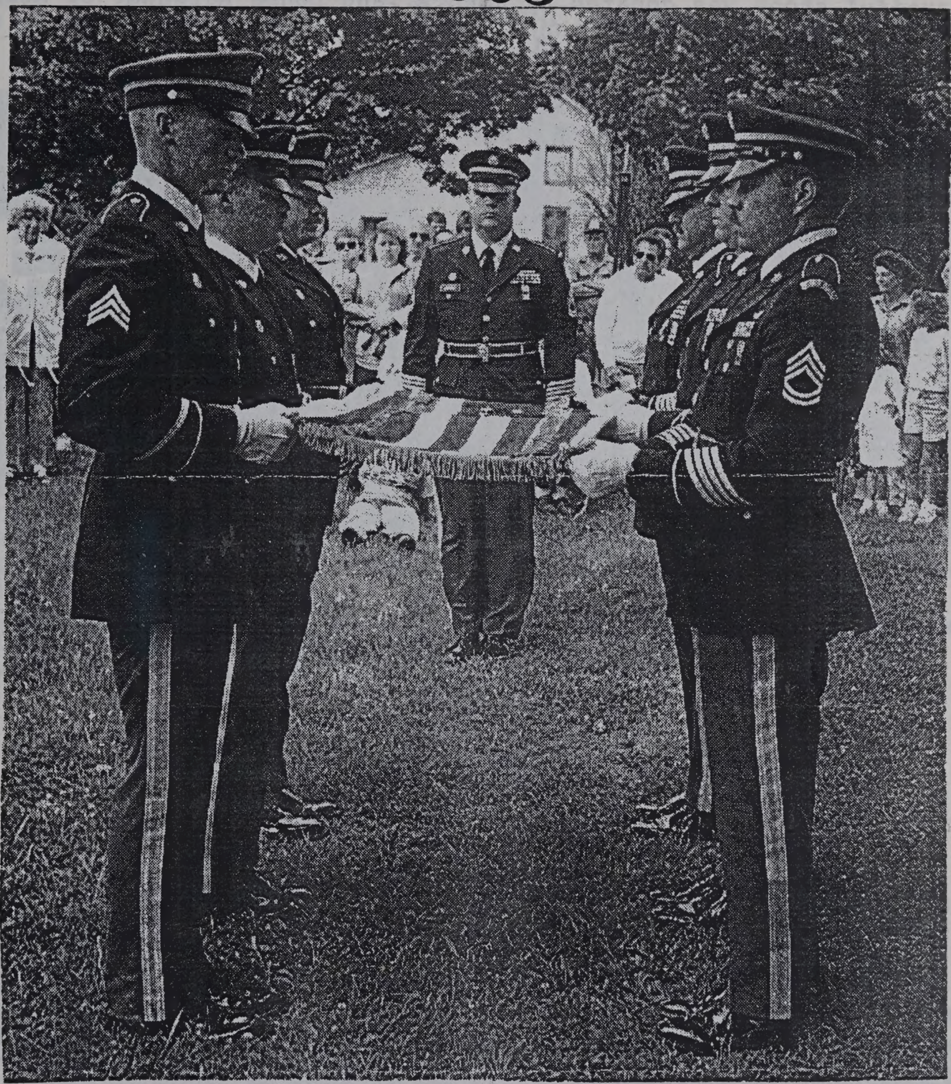
A thousand ages in Thy sight,
Are like an evening gone;
Short as the watch that ends the night
Before the rising sun.

Time, like an ever-rolling stream,
Bears all its sons away;
They fly, forgotten, as a dream
Dies at the opening day.

O God, our Help in ages past,
Our Hope for years to come,
Be Thou our Guard while life shall last,
And our Eternal Home.

MEMORIAL DAY

1993



Above, members of an Ohio National Guard Honor Guard perform a flag-folding ceremony at the Old Lutheran Cemetery in Adelphi Monday. The ceremony honored Daniel Karshner and his descendants. At right, one descendant, Lynea Beglin, 8, looks over the marker. Her cousin, Alysha Spiller Beglin, 6, is on the left.

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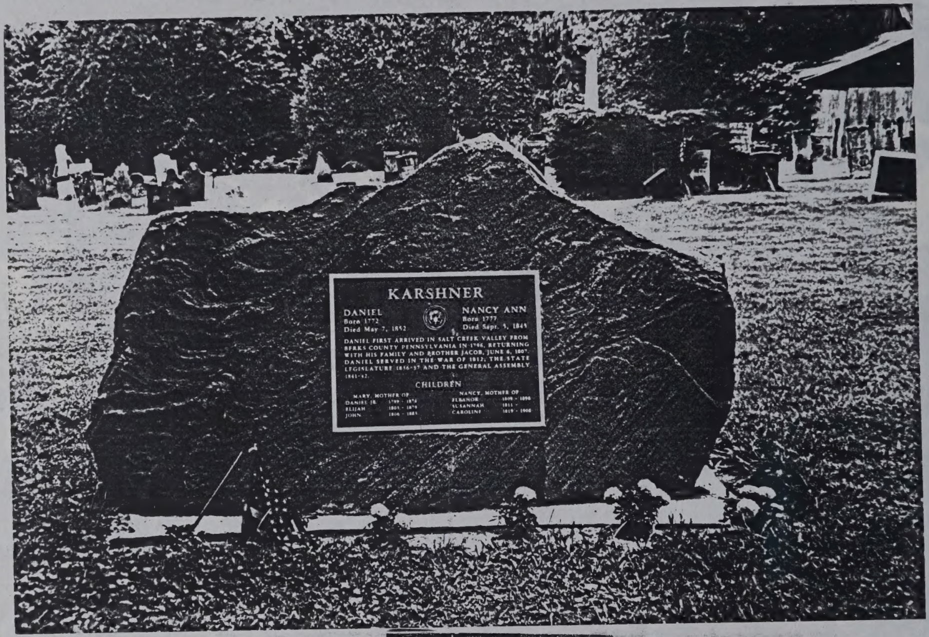
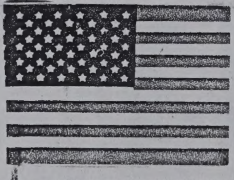
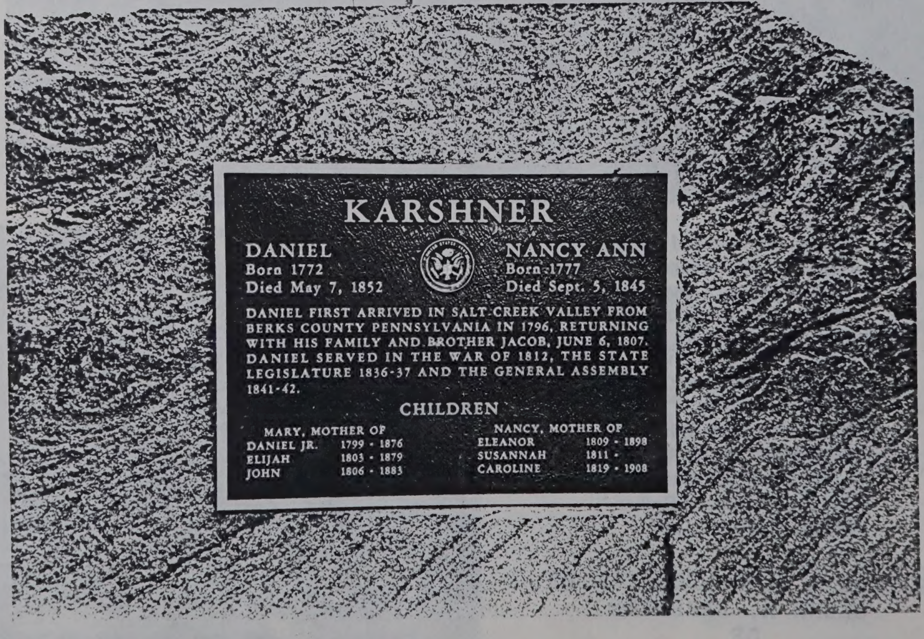
GLENN A. KARSHNER
OF
COLUMBUS, OHIO

Mr. Glenn A. Karshner of Columbus, Ohio announced special services to be held May 31,1993 at the "OLD LUTHERAN CEMETERY" in Adelphi ,Ohio. The service was dedicated to the life of Daniel Karshner(1772-1852) and his family.It was through the results of the"Family Fund Raiser" this redidication of Daniel's grave and historical marker were possible. The beautiful stone was donated by John P.,and Donna Karshner of Adelphi, Ohio, (descendant of Jacob Karshner,a brother to Daniel)It's beauty will be cherished by generations to come!







KARSHNER

DANIEL
Born 1772
Died May 7, 1852

NANCY ANN
Born 1777
Died Sept. 5, 1845

DANIEL FIRST ARRIVED IN SALT CREEK VALLEY FROM BERKS COUNTY PENNSYLVANIA IN 1796, RETURNING WITH HIS FAMILY AND BROTHER JACOB, JUNE 6, 1807. DANIEL SERVED IN THE WAR OF 1812, THE STATE LEGISLATURE 1836-37 AND THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY 1841-42.

CHILDREN

MARY, MOTHER OF
DANIEL JR. 1799 - 1876
ELIJAH 1803 - 1879
JOHN 1806 - 1883

NANCY, MOTHER OF
ELEANOR 1809 - 1898
SUSANNAH 1811 -
CAROLINE 1819 - 1908

PROGRAM

Welcome and Announcements **Glenn A. Karshner**

Gravesite Ceremony **Reverend Lawrence Myers**
First English Lutheran Church,
Lancaster, Ohio

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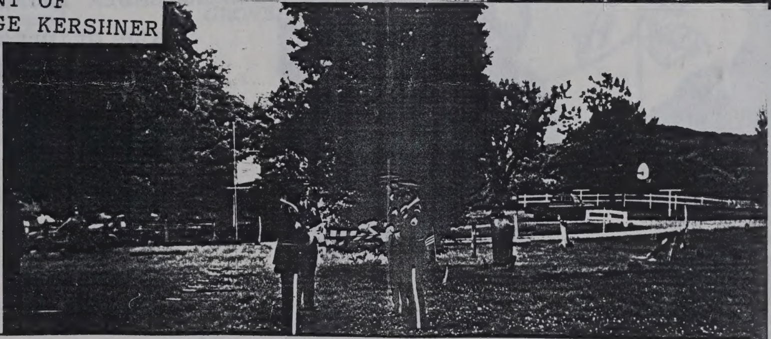
BERNICE SHARP
(DESCENDANT OF
JOHN GEORGE KERSHNER

Rifle Salute **Ohio National Guard**
Color Guard



Flag Folding* **Ohio National Guard**
Color Guard

***The oldest descendant of Daniel Karshner present today will receive the flag from the Honor Guard on behalf of the family.**

Local man dies in out-of-county wreck

By JACK MADER
The Herald

A Pickaway County man is dead as the result of a smashup involving three cars and a truck that occurred around 7 p.m. Wednesday in Jackson County. One other person was killed and several others injured.

The local victim was identified as Timothy L. Boyer, 20, of Winchester Southern Road. He was a corrections officer at the Pickaway County Sheriff's Department.

According to a spokesman for the Jackson post of the Highway Patrol, a car driven by Keith A. Arrington, 38, of Jackson, a pickup truck operated by Gretchen Payne, 19, of Jackson, and a pickup truck driven by Boyer were all eastbound on U.S. Route 35 west of Jackson. The semi, driven by Glen A. Wilson, 47, of Reedsville, N.C., was westbound. Arrington was passing the Payne and Boyer vehicles and his car collided head-on with the semi. Arrington's car was then shoved into the Payne and Boyer vehicles and it finally came to rest partially beneath the semi. He was pronounced dead at the scene. Wilson was badly hurt.

Boyer was taken by Life Flight to Grant Hospital in Columbus where he died early Thursday morning.

Sheriff Dwight Radcliff said Boyer was part of the first group of corrections officers hired to staff the new county jail and had worked for the department about a year.

"He was a super guy and very energetic," Radcliff said upon learning of Boyer's death. "This is a big loss."

Death

TIM BOYER

Tim Boyer, 20, of Stoutsville, died Aug. 26, 1993, as the result of an auto accident.

He was born Nov. 22, 1972, in Circleville, the son of Melvin and Darlene (Webb) Boyer. He was a graduate of Logan Elm High School and was employed as a corrections officer for the Pickaway County Sheriff's Department.

He is survived by his wife, Crystal (Whaley) Boyer; his parents; a sister, Mrs. Greg (Teresa) Hartley; nephew, Zachary Hartley of Groveport; and grandparents, Harold and Haullena Webb of Lancaster.

Funeral service will be at 1 p.m. Monday at Wellman Funeral Home in Circleville with Dr. Doyne Wiggins officiating. Burial will be in Maple Hill Cemetery. Friends may call from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Sunday at the funeral home.

In Memory Of
TIMOTHY L. BOYER
Date of Birth
NOVEMBER 22, 1972
Date of Death
AUGUST 26, 1993
Place and Time of Service
WELLMAN FUNERAL HOME
MONDAY AUGUST 30, 1993
1:00 P.M.
Officiating
DR. DOYNE WIGGINS
Place of Interment
MAPLE HILL CEMETERY
Arrangements By
WELLMAN FUNERAL HOME

TIM BOYER
HE WILL ALWAYS REMAIN IN OUR HEARTS!!!
HE BROUGHT JOY TO SO MANY LIVES, AND
HAD A ZEST AND LOVE FOR ALL CREATION.
HIS LIFE RELATED A MESSAGE:

"Take Time To See—It seems so hard to understand as I look out across the land that all I view belongs to me, I ought to take more time to see… I hear my Master say to me 'I made it all for you to see.' My heart grows warm with faith and pride to know that He is by my side." (Ray F. Zaner) May Peace be your Gift at Christmas and your Treasure through all the Year—*artist Dorrine Robertson*

FAMILY TRIBUTE

HILGAR E. KARSHNER

Hilgar E. Karshner, 68, died Nov. 15, 1993, at his residence in Columbus.

He was born Sept. 26, 1925, in Ross County to the late Samuel and Rosa Cryder Karshner. He was the spouse of Helen.

Funeral service is at 1 p.m. Thursday at Myers Funeral Home, Groveport, with the Rev. Thomas Gene Gividen officiating. Burial will be in Franklin Hills Memory Garden. Calling hours are from 4 to 8 p.m. Wednesday. Memorial may be made to Mount Carmel Hospice.

Cadet Hilgar E. Karshner, son of Mrs. S. E. Karshner, Kingston, has completed the Army's primary flight training course at Thunderbird Field, No. 1, Glendale, Ariz., it was announced by the PRO. Cadet Karshner took his cadet detachment training at Michigan State college, East Lansing, Mich.

In Memory of

HILGAR E. KARSHNER

Date of Birth

SEPTEMBER 26, 1925

Date of Death

NOVEMBER 15, 1993

Place and Time of Services

MYERS FUNERAL HOME
1:00 P.M. THURSDAY NOV. 18, 1993

Officiating

REV. THOMAS GENE JIVIDEN

Place of Interment

FRANKLIN HILLS MEMORY GARDENS

Arrangements By

MYERS FUNERAL HOME
GROVEPORT, OHIO

A LOVELY POEM FROM HIS FUNERAL

He loved to till the verdant soil,
And watch his garden grow,
But now he tills another spot,
A beauty spot I know.

He plows where fields are always green,
With furrows straight an true,
And where the day is always bright,
And life begins anew.

But we shall miss him here on earth,
Until our day is done,
When we shall be with him again,
When our rewards are won.

Samuel Karshner

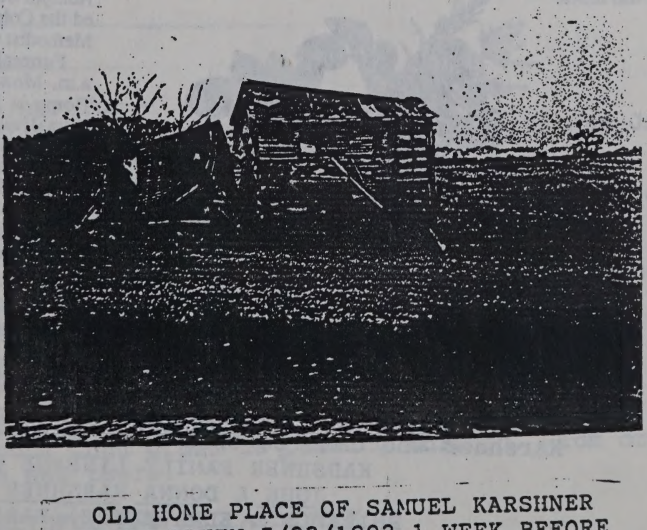
HALLSVILLE — Samuel E. Karshner, 85, of near Hallsville, died unexpectedly at his residence Friday noon as the result of a heart attack.

He was born near Hallsville on Dec. 8, 1876, the son of Samuel and Mary Huffman Karshner. On Nov. 23, 1905, he married Rosa Cryder, who died in 1951.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Hazel Cunningham, New York City; three sons, Herman and Hilgar Karshner, both of Columbus, and Harold, in Hallsville; six grandchildren and a great-grandchild. Five brothers predeceased him.

Mr. Karshner, a Spanish-American War veteran, was a member of the Hallsville EUB Church and the Odd Fellows, in Chillicothe.

Service will be held at 2 p.m. Monday in the Hallsville EUB Church, with burial in the Hallsville Cemetery. Friends may call at the Hill Funeral Home, Kingston, after 6:30 p.m. Saturday, and at the church after 1 p.m. Monday. Oct 12, 1962



OLD HOME PLACE OF SAMUEL KARSHNER
PICTURE TAKEN 5/23/1992 1 WEEK BEFORE
IT WAS TORN DOWN.

FAMILY TRIBUTE

KARSHNER FAMILY LINEAGE OF
WINFRED K. DUMM
SAMUEL & SUSAN(DELONG) KARSHNER
JOHN & ELIZABETH(SPANGLER)KARSHNER
DANIEL SR. & MARY(DAVIS) KARSHNER
CONRAD II & CATHERINE(REISER) KERSHNER
CONRAD I & CATHERINE(BEC)KERSHNER OF GERMANY

WINFERD K. DUMM

Winferd K. "Bud" Dumm, 80, of Laurelville died Oct. 2, 1993, at Berger Hospital.

He was born March 15, 1913, in Laurelville to George Nelson and Hattie Karshner Dumm.

He spent most of his life in the Laurelville area having graduated from Laurelville High School. He was also a graduate of Ohio University where he was a member of Delta Sigma Pi fraternity and Ohio University Band. He taught school at Buckskin High School in Ross County before serving in the Navy during World War II. He was a member of Trinity United Methodist Church, Laurelville; Eastern Star, Evergreen Chapter 169; Adelphi Masonic Lodge 527; C & L Investment Club of Logan; Laurelville and Pickaway County Senior Citizens; board of directors of Saltcreek Valley Bank having served as president and chairman of the board. He was also associated with his father and other family members in the George N. Dumm store founded in 1893. Grace, his wife, and "Bud" were owners until their retirement in 1989 when his son, James, and wife, Shirley, bought out the business.

He is survived by wife, Grace (West) Dumm; sons, James W. (Shirley) Dumm of Chillicothe, George Robert "Bob" (Debbie) of Laurelville; daughter, Martha Jo (Kenneth) Temple of Chillicothe; grandchildren, George Nelson Dumm, Bobbie Jo Dumm, Elijah J. Dumm, Sarah Jane Temple, Kathleen Temple, Steven Temple, Nicolas J. Dumm, Robert (Elizabeth) Grooms; and great-grandson, Michael Grooms; one niece, Dorothy McClelland of Laurelville.

He was preceded in death by his parents; infant brother, Doyle; and sisters, Mary Kohler and Margie West Briley.

Funeral service will be at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday at the Trinity United Methodist Church with the Rev. Terry Cavanaugh and Rev. Jacob Lehman officiating. Burial will be in Green Summit Cemetery, Adelphi. Friends may call from 7 to 9 p.m. today and 2 to 9 p.m. Tuesday at Defenbaugh-Wise Funeral Home and 1 to 2:30 p.m. Wednesday at the church. Masonic service is at 8 p.m. Tuesday at the funeral home. Memorial contributions may be made to the Trinity United Methodist Church, Laurelville.

WINFRED "BUD" DUMM
AT THE 1992
"K" FAMILY REUNION

ALICE L. PRITCHARD

Alice L. Pritchard age 87 of Adelphi died Dec. 22, 1993 at Lancaster Fairfield Memorial. She was born August 23, 1906 in Chillicothe to Rick and Pearl Brokmeyer Schrader, Sr. On Sept. 29, 1924, she married Charles W. Pritchard, Sr. who died February 19, 1979.

She is also predeceased by her parents, brother Charles and sister Mildred Pairan.

Surviving are sons and daughters-in-law Charles W. and Sharon Pritchard Jr., David L. and Sandra Pritchard, all of Circleville; daughter Marjorie L. Heckler of Columbus; daughter and son-in-law Donna J. and John Karshner of Adelphi; brother Norman of Chillicothe; and Frank Jr. of North Carolina; sister Marcella Enderline of Chillicothe; thirteen grandchildren and nineteen great-grandchildren.

She was a volunteer at the VA medical center for many years, a fifty year member of Pythian Sisters Temple 563, of Adelphi, a member of Kingston Konnection Homemakers Group, member of the Adelphi Senior Citizens and attended the Colerain and Adelphi United Methodist Churches.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Monday at the Hill Funeral Home in Kingston with the Rev. Tom Jividen and the Rev. Terry Cavanugh officiating. Burial is at the Green Summit Cemetery in Adelphi. Friends may call Sunday from 2 p.m. to 9 p.m. with the Pythian Sisters memorial services at 8 p.m. on Sunday at the funeral home.

The beloved daughter of Mrs Alice Pritchard, Mrs Donna (Pritchard) Karshner,is the wife of Mr. John P. Karshner, of Adelphi, Ohio.They are of the linage of Jacob & Mary Magdeline(Dunkelberger) Karshner who came to Ohio from Berks County,Pa.

KARSHNER FAMILY LINEAGE OF
JOHN & DONNA KARSHNER
PHILEMON & EDNA(EBERT) KARSHNER
JOHN & PHOEBE(SWINEHART) KARSHNER
JACOB & MARY (DUNKELBERGER) KARSHNER
CONRAD II & CATHERINE(REISER) KERSHNER
CONRAD & CATHERINE(BEC) KERSHNER OF GERMANY

WE EXTEND OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY TO ALL FAMILIES WHO HAVE LOST PRECIOUS LOVED ONES IN 1993.

FAMILY TRIBUTE

IN MEMORY OF
THOMAS T. COVEY
BORN
September 7,1913
DATE OF DEATH
September 12,1993
SERVICES FROM
Alspach-Gearhart Funeral Home
Wednesday September 15,1993 10:30 A.M.
CLERGYMAN OFFICIATING
Rev. Dale Lambert
FINAL RESTING PLACE
Blue Creek Cemetery
Haviland,Ohio
FUNERAL CONDUCTED BY
Alspach-Gearhart Funeral Home
Van Wert,Ohio

He loved to till the verdant soil,
And watch his garden grow,
But now he tills another spot,
A beauty spot I know.

He plows where fields are always green,
With furrows straight an true,
And where the day is always bright,
And life begins anew.

But we shall miss him here on earth,
Until our day is done,
When we shall be with him again,
When our rewards are won.

To our Tom -
Nellie, his companion - wife. Celesta and Jim - their children.
Becky and Chris - grandchildren.

This is written through the eyes and hearts of your friends, neighbors, your town and your church.

Tom - We need you. It is 1:00 in the morning. The furnace is out. The kids and I are cold. Please come and see what is wrong. He was there.

FAITHFUL AND RELIABLE TOM

Tom - We need stone in our alleys. We have a few holes and bare spots that grass is peeking through. Tom ordered and shoveled. He was there.

FAITHFUL AND RELIABLE TOM

He was on the Blue Creek School Board. His job kept things running smoothly. There again -

FAITHFUL AND RELIABLE TOM

His church was a part of his life. He and Nellie raised their children as Christian followers in good faith. At the ice cream social he always did his part.

FAITHFUL AND RELIABLE TOM

Tom - I need a ride to school in Payne. He drove me half way when I became sick. He made a U-turn and brought me back home - He was my chauffeur.

FAITHFUL AND RELIABLE TOM

Two titles on the City Council are President and Chairman of the Street Commission. Offices he held with great pride. He was there when we needed him.

FAITHFUL AND RELIABLE TOM

Tom knew I took a new job. I was scared to death, but his words of encouragement made it possible for me to do it. There he is again. He is our -

FAITHFUL AND RELIABLE TOM

Our village turned 100 years old in 1992. Nellie and Tom took part by holding the position as the Anniversary Couple in the Founders Day Parade. They showed the young and old how people can love and live together for all those years in good times and rough times.

FAITHFUL AND RELIABLE TOM

His garden was his pride. One summer he showed it to a visitor from Japan. He explained everything in detail even though the visitor spoke no English. The bond they held was his garden. The translator stated, "He loves the earth like I do."

FAITHFUL AND RELIABLE TOM - OUR TOM

In Tom and Nellies' yard is a huge rock. If you stand near it you will hear tales and history of Haviland, the Covey home, and the Boy Scouts he taught who are now grown and have children of their own. Stop someday and you will hear Toms voice of love and encouragement.

He will be sadly missed by all.
The twinkle that he held within is and was for Nellie and his family, his God, and his faith in everyone.

Richard Pierce
Linda Fast
David Jewel
Carolyn Sherer
James L. Goins
Keith Miller
John Fast
Theresa Lehman

MRS NELLIE COVEY IS SHARING THESE ARTICLES IN LOVING MEMORY OF TOM. TOM WILL BE GONE FROM OUR MIST, BUT WILL ALWAYS REMAIN IN OUR HEARTS!!!

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ALL 1993

OHIO KINFOLK NEWS LETTER

KARSHNER, KERSHNER, KIRSCHNER

When days of summer gives way to refreshing cool, crisp,autumn colors,many folks travel to the breath-taking country side. It is there that many tranquil scenes of colorful trees, smells and sounds of fall permeate and capture the beloved farm lands of this portion of Ohio.

Such a picturesque experience may be found on Route 56,in the Scenic Hocking Hills. As one passes California Hollow Road,and the "OLD STONE HOUSE" ,where Daniel Karshner Sr. once lived, an interesting geological KAME resides on the property of James "Keith" Beglin. It is situated on section 8 ,Range 19,Township 11 Salt Creek Twp. of Hocking County,Ohio.

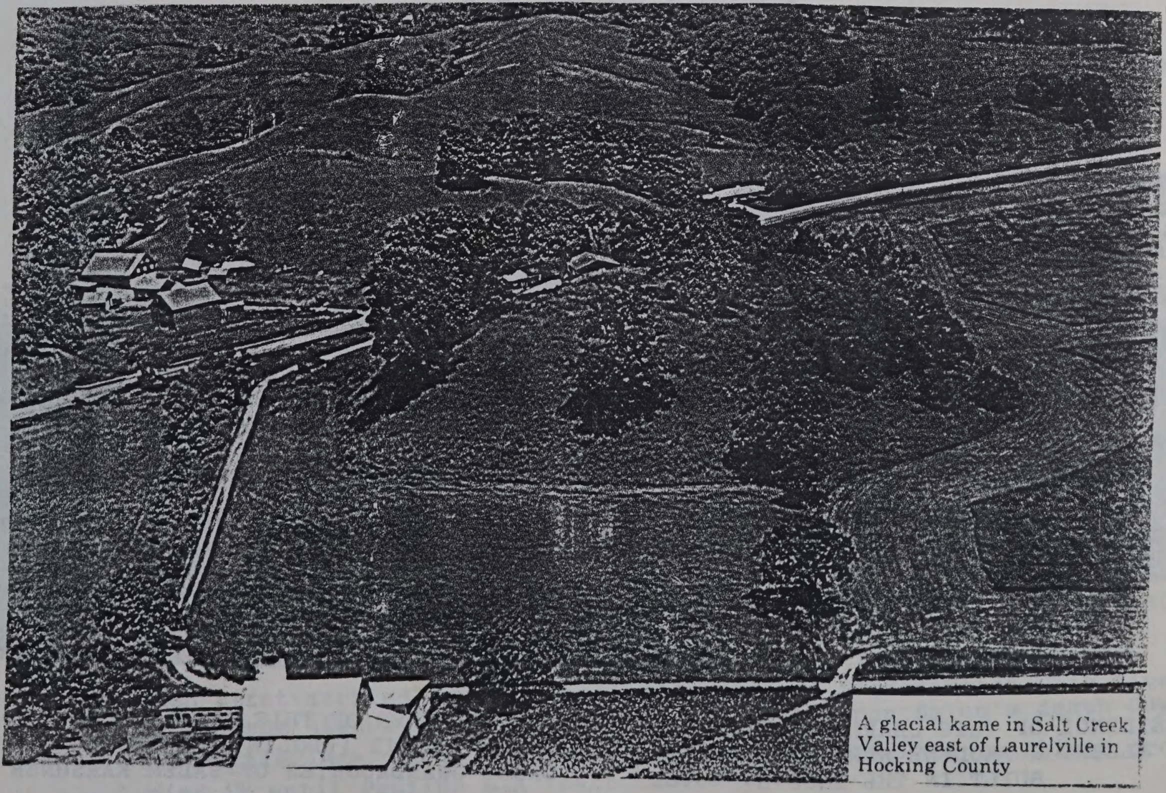
The article provided by Pauline(Karshner) Beglin states as follows:

A few selected areas in Logan and Greene counties and in Portage, Summitt,and Stark counties which were between the great lobes of the last ice sheet received hilly, thick sand and gravel deposits, called KAMES. Some river valleys such as the lower Paint Creek and middle Licking and Black rivers are speckled with these deposits.

What was it like in these areas of Ohio? Invariably,the ice was thin and irregular and had just about stopped advancing. All the water melting from dirty ice surface washed and sorted out the dirt. The fine silts and clays were carried off as "glacier milk" to a lake or the sea., whereas the sand and gravel often lodged in silt-free layers on top of ice or against it.

Buried ice lasted longest where it was covered by dirt,although it always melted within a few centuries to a millennium. Where thin,decaying ice melted from under the washed sand it left small kettle ponds and bogs among the kame hummocks mostly 14,000 to 16,500 years ago.

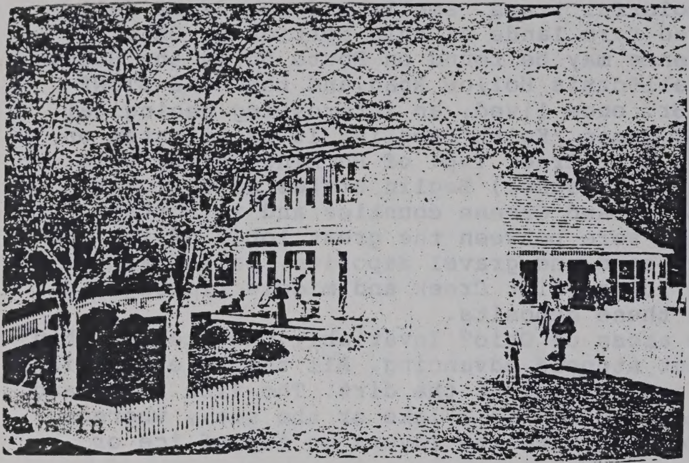
PICTURE PROVIDED BY PAULINE (KARSHNER) BEGLIN



A glacial kame in Salt Creek Valley east of Laurelville in Hocking County

A GRACIOUS FARMHOUSE

ALL OF THESE GRACIOUS HOMES ARE FAMILY TREASURES!!!

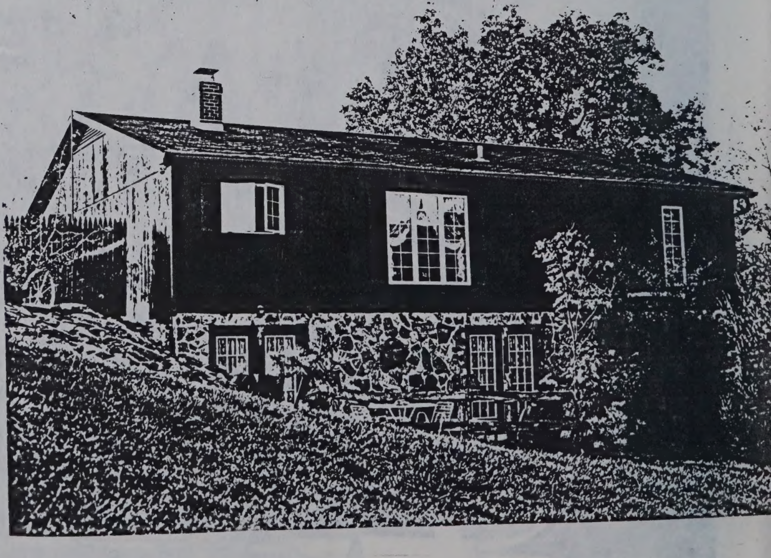


FORMER RESIDENCE OF
SALEM & MARTHA (HAYNES) KARSHNER
SALT CREEK TWP. HOCKING CO. OHIO

RESIDENCE OF THIS BEAUTIFUL HERITAGE HOM
GREAT-GRANDSON OF SALEM KARSHNER
JAMES "KEITH" BEGLIN

Country Home

RESIDENCE OF THIS CHARMING HOME OF 1993
ALBERT & PAULINE(KARSHNER) BEGLIN
BUILT IN THE 1880'S



THE OWNER OF THIS LOVELY HOME 1993
DEBBIE (BEGLIN) WRIGHT
GREAT-GRANDAUGHTER OF SALEM KARSHNER

THE FAMILY OF SALEM & MARTHA A. (HAYNES) KARSHNER
SALT CREEK TWP. HOCKING COUNTY NEAR HAYNES & LAURELVILLE,OHIO

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SALEM KARSHNER

JOHN & ELIZABETH (SPANGLER) KARSHNER WERE THE PARENTS OF SALEM. HE WAS BORN FEB. 18,1845 AND DIED July 24,1930.

SALEM & MARTHA were the parents of RENN, JAY, LENNIE, ROSE, GOLDIE, ORA, AND GUY KARSHNER.
Renn married Dollie(Hosler), Jay, married Bertha(Murlette), Lennie married Lewis Arthur Crawford. Rose married Glenn Hamilton, Goldie married Ed Bushee, Ora married Clarence Dumm, and Guy married Martha Jane (Sowers).

GUY KARSHNER

Guy Karshner was born September 23,1887,and died May 30,1966.

Guy and Martha Jane"Mattie" (Sowers) Karshner were the parents of LaVern (Karshner) Egan, Pauline(Karshner) Beglin, Faye(Karshner) Taylor,and Fern (Karshner).

Grandchildren: Roger Egan,Debby(Beglin)Wright, Linda(Beglin)Shoemaker, and"Keith"Beglin

GREAT GRANDCHILDREN; Julie(Beglin Imboden, Jeff Beglin, Cindy (Egan) White, Stephen Egan, Robert Shoemaker, Jodie(Shoemaker) Riffe.

GREAT GREAT GRANDCHILDREN: JEREMY ,TONY, ALYSHA, LYNEA, JACOB, BETHANY & RACHAEL

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Salem was a brother to ,Mary Jane, Susannah, Nelson Karshner Sr., Daniel T. Karshner, Samuel S. Thealine, Winnette"Annie F. ,Josephine, and John Karshner. His Grandfather was Daniel Karshner Sr. who came to Ohio in 1807. Conrad Karshner II and Catherine "Kate" (Reiser) Kershner of Berks County, Pennsylvania were his Gt. Grandparents.

Salem's home in the photo was built by John Haynes ,given to Salem, and he in turn, willed this farm to his son, Guy.

In an article written by Charlene Willis, states that¶Salem's House was patterned off the "OLD STONE HOUSE" and features the same entry-hall and open winding stairway. The stair-rails are cherry wood and½ at the top of the stairs is a small landing room on the second story.

The house has fourteen rooms, most of which are large and convenient, but some are small and interesting.In the rear of the house is a lovely flower room featuring a bay window effect.¶"
("KEITH" BEGLIN RESTORED THIS LOVELY HOME AFTER CHARLENE'S ARTICLE)
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IN later years Salem had the back part of the house, which shows in the photo, remodeled. The roof line was raised and dormer windows installed, to provide a second story, still another addition to the rear was made by Salem. He was financially able to keep the home perfectly groomed on the outside and elaborately furnished inside.

When first married Guy and Mattie (Sowers) of Pickerington,Ohio,lived across the highway from this (Salem's) house. Upon Salem's death Guy and Mattie left the smaller home and assorted KARSHNER relatives occupied it until Pauline & A lbert moved into it.

Pauline"s daughter Debbie (Beglin)Wright built a"lovely" home on the same property,and all of these homes gives a unique,and cozy family environment.

WHEN THE HIGHWAY WAS WIDENED AFTER THE FIRST WORLD WAR,the yard of this house was shortened. The picket fence no longer surrounded the the house, but traces of a later stone wall may be seen.

Upon the Salem Karshner land stood the first and second Karshner School House. The first school house was built on land belonging to Salem(former Roscoe DeLong farm) now Eric Johnston home,1993. in 1861. TWO years later in 1863 due to a water problem it was moved to the site where the second one was built as a replacement in 1890.

The first schoolhouse when abandoned was moved to the barnyard complex of Salem's farm where it was and still is used as a tool shed. It was adapted to its use, but the Deaner's Platform(where the teacher's desk was placed) still remains. The second schoolhouse was torn down when Guy's Grandson "Keith" constructed his new home in 1970 on the location of the old schoolgrounds.

The barns of this farm are the original ones. The large main barn had hex signs cut into them when it was built. They are like the Pennsylvania hex signs in Berks County Pennsylvania.

Although this is "Heritage Home" and built many years ago, it has been well taken care of by the descendants and looks much the same as it did the day that Salem built and enjoyed it.

previous ARTICLE BY CHARLENE WILLIS ,1976

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GENERATIONS OF CONRAD KERSHNER II & CATHERINE(REISER)
PROVIDED BY EVELYN LEISURE OF ZANESVILLE,OHIO

Kelian Dunkel, son of George S. Dunkel (b. March 5, 1807), lived near Kingston in 1880 and died at the home of his daughter Mrs. Philip H. Forquer near Elmwood Station, Pickaway Co., Ohio, on December 19, 1892. He married Margaret Karshner, December 4, 1828, and they had nine children. He helped survey the Ohio and Erie Canal. All his brothers and sisters were deceased in 1892 except Mrs. Solomon Reigel and Mrs. Conrad Ett.

abigail mary

The History of Pickaway Co., Ohio, 1906, page 67, states that John Dunkel came to Chio in 1802 and entered land. He went back to Pennsylvania and then in 1815 returned and settled in Pickaway Co., Saltcreek Twp. He may have been a brother to George S. Dunkel. One of John's sons married Mary Markel who was born in Berks Co.

The Dunkel church records give the following children of Keleain and Maria Magdalena Dunkel, Catherine (b. March 3, 1768), John (b. April 16, 1775) and Anna Maria (b. April 16, 1775).

Figure 2

5-Generation

Name of Compiler Evelyn LEISURE
Address 238 Pine ST.
City, State Zanesville, OH.
Date Sept. 20, 1989

Person No. 1 on this chart is the same person as No.___ on chart No. ___.

Chart No.___

4 Francis COSTLOW (Father of No 2)
b. 23-8-1870
p.b. Liberty Twp., Ross CO. OH.
m. 11-11-1895
d. 17-2-1935
p.d. Ashville, OH.

2 Estle COSTLOW (Father of No. 1)
b. 21-12-1893
p.b. Ross CO., OH.
m. 27-9-1917
d. 6-8-1967
p.d. Col., OH.

5 Ella HANKINS (Mother of No 2)
b. 30-3-1869
p.b. Union Twp., Ross Co., OH.
d. 26-8-1938
p.d. Ashville, OH.

1 Evelyn COSTLOW
b. 5-9-1933
p.b. Ashville, OH.
m. 29-8-1950
d.
p.d.

6 Benjamin GOACHE (Father of No 3)
b. 1858
p.b. Buffalo, N.Y
m. 28-7-1892
d. 16-2-1919
p.d. Ashville, OH

3 Viva GOACHEE (Mother of No. 1)
b. 20-12-1898
p.b. Pickaway Co., O.
d. 18-12-1934
p.d. Col., OH.

7 Clara M. MEWHORTER (Mother of No. 3)
b. 9-6-1858
p.b. Pickaway CO., OH.
d. 2-6-1916
p.d. Ashville, OH.

Ralph LEISURE (Spouse of No. 1)
b. 9-2-1930 d.
p.b. Wash. C. H. p.d.

8 Joshua COSTLOW (Father of No 4)
b. 1832
p.b. Vinton CO., OH.
m. 3-11-1852
d. 1911
p.d. Ashville, OH.

9 Mary SEYMOUR (Mother of No 4)
b. 1836
p.b. Ross CO., OH.
d.
p.d.

10 Norval HANKINS (Father of No. 5)
b. 1840
p.b. Ross CO., OH.
m. 3-9-1861
d.
p.d.

11 Sarah A. HILL (Mother of No. 5)
b. 1837
p.b. Pickaway CO., OH.
d.
p.d.

12 (Father of No 6)
b.
p.b.
m.
d.
p.d.

13 (Mother of No. 6)
b.
p.b.
d.
p.d.

14 John MEWHORTER (Father of No. 7)
b. 1828
p.b. Pickaway CO., OH.
m. 28-6-1854
d. 15-6-1882
p.d. Tarlton, OH.

15 Mary DUNKLE (Mother of No. 7)
b. 1832
p.b. Pickaway CO. OH.
d.
p.d.

16 (Father of No 8 Cont. on chart No)
b.
m.
d.

17 (Mother of No 8. Cont. on chart No)
b.
d.

18 William SEYMOUR (Father of No 9. Cont on chart No)
b. 1807
m.
d.

19 Elizabeth (Mother of No. 9. Cont. on Chart No)
b. 1807
d.

20 John HANKINS (Father of No. 10. Cont on chart No.)
b. -5-1809
m. 13-3-1834
d. 13-3-1860

21 Mary RIDGWAY (Mother of No 10. Cont on Chart No.)
b. 1815
d. 28-10-1877

22 William HILL (Father of No. 11. Cont on chart No)
b. 1800
m. 1833
d.

23 Susan GILLILAND (Mother of No. 11. Cont. on chart No.)
b. 1817
d.

24 (Father of No. 12. Cont. on chart No.)
b.
m.
d.

25 (Mother of No. 12. Cont. on chart No.)
b.
d.

26 (Father of No 13. Cont. on chart No. ___)
b.
m.
d.

27 (Mother of No. 13. Cont. on chart No. ___)
b.
d.

28 John MEWHORTER SR. (Father of No 14. Cont. on chart No. ___)
b. 29-4-1789 Pa.
m. 1814
d. 14-2-1861

29 Rebecca (Mother of No. 14. Cont. on chart No.)
b. 24-8-1793 Pa
d. 20-2-1877

30 Kilien DUNKLE (Father of No 15. Cont. on chart No.)
b. 5-3-1810 Ah
m. 4-12-1828
d. 19-12-1892

31 Maragaret KARSHNER (Mother of No. 15. Cont. on chart No. ___)
b. 1810 ah
d. 11-7-1886

Ancestor Chart

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Name of Compiler Evelyn Leisure
Address 238 Pine St.
City, State Zanesville,OH.
Date Mar.25, 1988

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b. Date of Birth
p.b. Place of Birth
m. Date of Marriage
d. Date of Death
p.d. Place of Death

4 John Mawhorter Sr. (Father of No. 2)
b. 29-4-1789Northumberland
p.b. PA.
m. 14-2-1814-Pic.Co.Oh.
d. 14-2-1861
p.d Tarlton,Pic.Co.,OH.

2 John Mawhorter (Father of No. 1)
b. 1828
p.b. Tarlton, OH.Pic. Co.
m.28-6-1854
d.15-6-1882
p.d Tarlton,Pic.Co.,OH.

5 Rebecca WiLDHaM (Mother of No. 2)
b. 24-8-1793
p.b. Philadelphia, PA.
d. 20-2-1877
p.d. Tarlton, OH.

1 Clara M.Mawhorter
b. 9-6-1858
p.b. OH.
m. 1892
d. 2-6-1916
p.d. Ashville, OH.

6 Kilien Dunkle (Father of No. 3)
b. 5-3-1810
p.b. Hocking Co. OH.
m. 4-12-1828
d. 19-12-1892
p.d ElmWood Station, Pic. Co., OH.

3 Mary J.Dunkle (Mother of No. 1)
b. 1832
p.b. Hocking Co.,SL.OH.
d.
p.d.

7 Maragaret Karshner (Mother of No. 3)
b. 1810
p.b. Ross Co., OH.
d. 11-7-1886
p.d. Pickaway Co,Oh.

Benj.Goachee (Spouse of No. 1)
b. 1858 d. 16-2-1919
p.b. Buffalo N.Y. p.d. Ashville,Oh.

8 (Father of No. 4)
b.
p.b.
m.
d.
p.d

9 (Mother of No. 4)
b.
p.b.
d.
p.d

10 (Father of No. 5)
b.
p.b.
m.
d.
p.d

11 (Mother of No. 5)
b.
p.b.
d.
p.d.

12 George S. Dunkle (Father of No. 6)
b. 23-8-1779
p.b. Berks Co., PA
m. 16-7-1803, Berks Co., PA
d. 3-8-1844
p.d Pic.Co., OH.

13 Mary Magdalena Heinly (Mother of No. 6)
b. 17-1-1784
p.b. Berks Co., PA
d. 1-4-1857
p.d. Pic. Co., OH.

14 Jacob Karshner (Father of No. 7)
b.27-4-1775
p.b. Heidelberg Tw. Berks Co., PA.
m. 11-3-1800 PA.
d. 22-4-1863
p.d Adelphi, Ross Co., OH.

15 Mary M. Dunkelberger (Mother of No. 7)
b. 12-1-1778
p.b. Berks Co., P
d. 20-5-1865
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16 (Father of No. 8, Cont. on chart No. ____)
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17 (Mother of No. 8, Cont. on chart No. ____)
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18 (Father of No. 9, Cont. on chart No. ____)
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19 (Mother of No. 9, Cont. on chart No. ____)
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20 (Father of No. 10, Cont. on chart No. ____)
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21 (Mother of No. 10, Cont. on chart No. ____)
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22 (Father of No. 11, Cont. on chart No. ____)
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23 (Mother of No. 11, Cont. on chart No. ____)
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24 Keleain Dunkle (Father of No. 12, Cont. on chart No. ____)
b.
m.
d.

25 MaryMagdalena (Mother of No. 12, Cont. on chart No. ____)
b.
d.

26 David Heinly (Father of No. 13, Cont. on chart No. ____)
b. 17-10-1728
m. 1762
d. 3-10-1784

27 Sabina Kuder (Mother of No. 13, Cont. on chart No. ____)
b.
d.

28 Conrad Karshner (Father of No. 14, Cont. on chart No. ____)
b. 1-8-1744, PA
m. 1765, PA.
d. 1813, PA.

29 Catherine Reiser (Mother of No. 14, Cont. on chart No. ____)
b. 1745, PA.
d. 1840, PA.

30 Clementz Dunkelberger (Father of No. 15, Cont. on chart No. ____)
b. BerksCo., PA
m.
d. 1801, PA.

31 Anna M. Gartner (Mother of No. 15, Cont. on chart No. ____)
b. 16-1-1752Pa
d. 9-1821, Pa.

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WELCOME TO THE FAMILY

MISS GATWOOD

Donald and Lisa Gatwood of Laurelville are the parents of a 7-pound, 12-ounce daughter, Elizabeth Maureen, born July 16, 1993, at Medical Center Hospital.

Grandparents are Kenneth Valentine, Don and Jean Gatwood, all of Circleville, and Linda and Bill Weaver of Breeman.

Great-grandparents are Joe and Dorothy Valentine, Harry Bainter, all of Circleville, and the late Bernadine Bainter.

DONALD & LISA(VALENTINE)Gatwood
Don & Marilyn (Hinton) Gatwood
Bernadine(Karshner) Bainter
Jay & Bertha(Murlette)Karshner
Salem & Martha (Haynes)
John & Elizabeth(Spangler)Karshner
Daniel & Mary(Davis) Kershner
Conrad & Catherine "Kate"(Reiser) Kershner

FAMILIES TAKE MANY DIVERSE FORMS AND GIVE A SENSE OF STRENGTH & BELONGING

MASTER ROSS

Trent and Pamela (Wagner) Ross of Kingston are the parents of a 9-pound, 7-ounce son, Trevor Allen, born June 22, 1993, at Lancaster-Fairfield Community Hospital.

Grandparents are Leroy and Gloria Wagner and Wilson and Mary Lou Ross, all of Laurelville.

Great-grandparents are Viola Wagner, Russell W. Cupp and Wilson K. Ross, all of Laurelville.

TRENT & PAMELA(WAGNER) ROSS
WILSON & MARY LOU(CUPP)ROSS
WILSON K. & DORA(SMITH) ROSS
HARRY & EDITH(KARSHNER) ROSS
SAMUEL & SUSANNAH(DELONG) KARSHNER
JOHN & ELIZABETH (SPANGLER)KARSHNER
DANIEL & MARY(DAVIS) KARSHNER

BIRTH.

Greg and Teresa Boyer Hartley of Groveport are the parents of a son, Zachery Adam, born June 21, 1993, in Mount Carmel West Medical Center. Grandparents are Melvin and Darlene Webb Boyer of Stoutsville and Howard and Karen Karshner Hartley of Laurelville.

Great-grandparents are Harold and Haullena Webb of Lancaster; the late Thomas and Sarah Boyer; Oscar Hartley of South Bloomingville and the late Garnet Hartley; and Burnell Karshner of Laurelvile. and the late Mildred Karshner.

Gregory & Teresa(Boyer) Hartley
Howard & Karen(Karshner) Hartley
Eugene Burnell & Mildred(Reid)Karshner
Glen & Byrde(Thompson) Karshner
Nelson II & Virginia (Ebert)Karshner
Nelson Sr. & Ama(Hosler)Karshner
John & Elizabeth(Spangler)Karshner
Daniel & Mary(Davis) Karshner
Conrad &I & Catherine " Kate" (Reiser) Kershner

PLEASE SEND US YOUR FAMILY BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENTS(NEW OR OLD).WE WOULD LIKE TO SHARE THEM WITH THE REST OF THE FAMILY.(SEND COPIES ONLY) AND YOUR FAMILY INFORMATION!

"LETTERS TO GRANDPA" WRITTEN BY HELEN METTLER OF HISTORIC CHILLICOTHE, OHIO ,HAVE BEEN INFORMATIVE,ELEGANT ,AND DESIGNED TO GIVE INSIGHT INTO THE STOUDT AND KERSHNER FAMILY LINES.
WE TRULY THANK YOU HELEN,FOR YOUR CONTRIBUTION!!!

16 September 1992

Dear Grandpa,

Alas! I'm getting like everyone else! I forgot to mention the Karshner we both knew well: Ollie!

Ollie was the daughter of Samuel Karshner and Susan Delong. She married Henry Armstrong, son of Milton Armstrong and Caroline Mowrey. Henry and Ollie had a grocery store in Kinnikinnick. Later they moved to New Holland and had a store there.

Henry and Ollie had three sons and three daughters, Roy, Harry, Sam, Winifred, Audrey and Ruby. Their children attended the Kinnikinnick School at the same time your children did, Grandpa.

Your eldest son, Roy Cleveland Stout, married Winifred ("Winnie") on Christmas Day, 1910. Roy worked for the Scioto Valley Traction Company. Roy and Winnie lived in Chillicothe and experienced the fears and horrors of the 1913 Flood. They later moved to Columbus where they lived the balance of their lives.

Roy continued his employment with the same company after they discontinued the traction lines and converted to buses. At the same time they changed their name to Valley Public Service Company. Roy was very active in the Masonic Order. Winnie was very active in philanthropic activities. She was active in the hospital Twigs and was very influential in establishing a Day Care Center in south Columbus.

Roy and Winnie had no children. They are buried in New Holland Cemetery, New Holland, Ohio.

Back to Ollie. Henry preceded her in death by several years. She spent many Sundays at your house. You called her "Snapper" because of her manner of speaking.

Did we know the rest of Ollie's brothers and sisters? Some of them were, Alda, Hattie, Ray, Pearl, Dora, and Edith. Edith married a Mr. Ross and they operated the Toll House and Toll Gate between Kinnikinnick and Hallsville on what is now State Route 180.

Grandpa, those were the days!

Your granddaughter,

Nick

THE HOME OF NELSON & ANN (HOSLER) KARSHNER WAS BUILT IN 1885.

THE THIRD OHIO KIRSCHNER- KERSHNER- KARSHNER REUNION
DESCENDENTS OF CONRAD II & CATHERINE (REISER) KERSHNER

SUNDAY- OCTOBER 10,1993
REGISTRATION 10A.M. -12 NOON
FAMILY PICNIC BEGINS AT 12:30
CHURCH OF GOD PAVILION
16457 S.R. 56
LAURELVILLE,OHIO

GUEST SPEAKERS
"MYSTERY KARSHNER TREASURE" BY DEBBIE (BEGLIN) WRIGHT
AND
MRS LORNA LUEGRING,AUTHOR OF "MEMORIES OF THE MOHR FAMILY"

CONTACT YOUR FAMILY AND SHARE KINFOLK MEMORABILIA.
BRING PICTURES OR ANY INFORMATION YOU WOULD LIKE TO SHARE.

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT: MRS. KAREN (KARSHNER) HARTLEY
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SUMMER 1993

OHIO KINFOLK NEWS LETTER
KARSHNER, KERSHNER, KIRSCHNER

Dear Kinfolk,

Have you ever taken an early morning ride in the country,when all of "SPRING TIME",awoke in it's full glory? The fresh country air,laced with the smell of wild roses,honeysuckle,and flowering dog wood, enhance the aroma of the plowed fields and new birth in the air! It was such a morning I took a breath taking ride up the "BIG PINE VALLEY". The tiny wild flowers,and colorful birds seemed to acknowledge Our Creator with gratitude and song!!! Over the first hill from Haynes, Ohio (Formally Pineville)through the lifting fog ,my eyes caught the beauty of the newly restored cabin situated on the Clayton and Calol Holbrook property. Near the Karshner Cemetery,a hen phesant strutted out of the field into the grasses for protection from it's unwelcomed guest. Around the bend,past the Historical Bethel Church area,wild turkey were feasting on the corn planted in the Paxton fields. The big gobbler moved to the side of the hens and spread his feathers,as if to say, "I'm proud of this Valley,as there is plenty for all to enjoy"(Guess he didn't know it was TURKEY SEASON).As I entered the next bend two deer gracefully leaped across the road one retreating into the woods,while the other stopped to watch me and did not care how long I stayed to admire him. I stopped to take pictures of the scenic view It sure was a beautiful morning with a breath taking SPRING REVIEW!!!We here in the Salt Creek twp. have been enjoying many new varieties of birds in our area: Along Salt Creek,the blue herron, wild carnary, and would you believe a sea gull? All the meadow larks,cardinal, blue jays,finch, and other favorite song birds have honored us with their presence. Our favorite,humming birds are busy eating from the feeders.Those cool temperatures sent some to warmer areas.

I have never seen such a beautiful SPRING!Our cherry trees were loaded with bloom as well as everyone's fruit trees. It is cherry picking time here at our house,and with our seven trees, I have picked up to three hours a day for one week. I love the spring time!!! As summer is approaching I do hope your gardens are succesful! It is in our gardens we reap what we sow,not only in our peice of cultivated ground, but in the GARDEN OF LIFE",HAPPY GARDENING!! HAVE A PROSPEROUS SUMMER!!!

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A PICTURE FROM THE PAST
PINEVILLE CHANGED TO HAYNES

South-East out of Laurelville,Ohio in Hocking County is the beginning of Saltcreek township. The early history of Saltcreek township indicates that the early settlers were mostly farmers. Only one village was located in the township and this was located near where Pine Creek joins Saltcreek. This village was first known as Pineville because of its location but was later changed to Haynes and this was done to honor a prominent pioneer family by the same name. Haynes had several dwellings and two general stores,a blacksmith shop and a post office. D.L. Davis was appointed the first postmaster. Haynes was located at the junction of Laltcreek and Pind Creek. Bottom land provided this settlement good crops and other agricultural products. This village marked the half way point between Laurelville and South Bloomingville. Haynes was also a stop on the Columbus and Southern railway that ran through the region in the early part of the twentieth century.
Some of the prominent citizens of this community included:D.L. DAVIS,DANIEL KARSHNER, MOSES WIGGINS, THOMAS WIGGINS, WILLIAM HOOVER, CHRISTOPHER HAYNES, NELSON KARSHNER,NELSON DELONG, CHARLES SPENCER, JOHN C. BUTLER AND OTHERS.

Taken from an article:YESTERDAY AY & TOMORROW 1871-LAURELVILLE-1971

memorial services

Memorial Day was a special time to reflect on the great sacrifices made by men and women for the cause of freedom. We have been blessed to live in a nation which enjoys more freedom than any other nation on eart Our freedom did not come easily. That freedom came at a very high price, the price of thousands upon thousands of uniformed soldiers who paid with their own precious lives. We owe such a great debt to each one!

OLD LUTHERAN CEMETERY

A special service was held at the Old Lutheran Cemetery, two blocks south of the main square in Adelphi, Ohio on State Route 327. Area residents and relatives rededicated the grave of Daniel Karshner,who settled in Saltcreek Twp. The Rev. Lawrence Myers of the First English Lutheran Church of Lancaster held a short service followed by a special cermony by the Ohio National Guard. Credits for the service : Glenn. A.Karshner

(ARTICLE TAKEN FROM CIRCLEVILLE HERALD)

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CIRCLEVILLE,OHIO

A special Memorial Day observance at Circleville began with a flag raising ceremony at the High Street Cemetery at 8:30 A.M. A parade began at 9 A.M. Grand marshals for the parade were represented of World War I,World War II, Korean and Viet Nam conflicts, Granda and Honduras conflicts, and Operation Desert Storm. The parade proceeded to Soldiers Glen in Forest Cem. Sidney Liming served as Master of Ceremonies.The Memorial Day Address was delivered by Dr. Doyne N. Wiggins,Pastor of Outreach Ministries. Invocation and benediction given by Howard Snook. The Logan Elm and Circleville School bands provided music for the service.

(SGT. RUSSELL E. HARTLEY WAS GRAND MARSHAL FOR OPERATION DESERT STORM.)

(THE OLDEST WORLD WAR I VETERAN WAS 103 YEARS OF AGE)

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Death

PAUL E. HUFFMAN

Paul E. Huffman, 57, of Page Road, Chillicothe, died 12:05 a.m. Thursday, May 6, 1993, at his residence, following an extended illness.

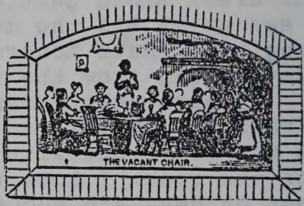
He was born April 5, 1936, in Pickaway County to Carson and Helen Karshner Huffman.

He is survived by his wife, the former Kathryn Scherer, whom he married Nov. 10, 1984; step son and wife, Charles R. and Sandra Scherer of Chillicothe; step-daughter, Barbara Melchert of Chillicothe; four step-grandchildren; three step great-grandchildren; sisters, Mrs. Doug (Ruth) Fox of Laurelville and Mrs. Ronald (Betty) Dean of Clarksville; brothers and wives, Jack and Sue Huffman of Circleville, Don and Rosemary Huffman of Kingston; aunts, Iris Michael of Fort Myers, Fla., and Mrs. Hillard (Kathryn) Reed of Chillicothe; several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by first wife, Jean Click Huffman; sister, Maribelle Hollis; infant brother, Robert.

Mr. Huffman served in the U.S. Army during the Korean Conflict. He attended Salem Community Church, Chillicothe. He had been employed for 39 years in the shipping department of the Mead Corporation. He was a member of UPIU Local 731, Antique Automobile Club, and AACA Central Chapter and Antique Car Club of Southern Ohio.

Funeral service will be at 10:30 a.m. Saturday in the Ware Funeral Home in Chillicothe with the Revs. Brent A. Rolsten and Jack Fout officiating. Burial will follow in Floral Hills Memory Gardens, Chillicothe. Friends may call at the funeral home from 6 to 9 p.m. Friday. Memorial contributions may be made to the Medical Center Hospice Program, 272 Hospital Road, Chillicothe 45601.


THE VACANT CHAIR.

BATTLE CRY OF FREEDOM

WELCOME TO THE FAMILY

MASTER WALTERS

Daniel and Melody Pontious Walters of Chillicothe are the parents of a 9-pound, 2-ounce son, Nathaniel Casey, born May 1, 1993, at Lancaster-Fairfield Community Hospital.

Grandparents are Frank and Ardella Walters of Chillicothe, Gary Pontious of Hallsville and Charlie and Darlene Weaver of Circleville.

Great-grandparents are Ferrell and Janet Walters of Chillicothe and Virginia Poling of Hallsville.

A son, Nicholas Lee, was born April 7, in Lancaster-Fairfield Community Hospital to James Jr. and Tammy (Karshner) Hart of Laurelville. Grandparents are James Sr. and Carol Hart of near Athens and David and Bonnie Karshner of Laurelville. Material great-grandparents are Merril and Izel Karshner and Bernice Thompson, all of Laurelville.

MASTER SEITZ

Jack and Chris Seitz of Circleville are the parents of a 7-pound, 10-ounce son, Nathan Timothy, born May 20, 1993, at Mount Carmel Medical Center.

Grandparents are David and Marlene Schultz of Laurelville and Nolan and Margaret Seitz of Amanda.

Great-grandparents are Walter McCabe of Laurelville, Robert D. Schultz of South Bloomingville, the late Ruth Mary McCabe and the late Nora M. Schultz.

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HOCKING COUNTY,OHIO

Hocking Co. was formed March 1,1818,from Ross, Athens and Fairfield Co. The land is generally hilly and broken, but along the main streams level and fertile.

Area about 400 sq. miles. In 1887 the acres cultivated were 49,087; in pasture,88,976; woodland 49,726; lying waste 2,316; produce in wheat, 323,884 bushels;rye,2,667;buckwheat,669;oats,47,195;barley 792;corn 303,707;meadow hay,11,504tons;clover hay ,848;potatoes 24,083 bushels tobacco,110 pounds;butter,293,822;cheese,150;sorghum,4,244gallons,maple syrup,928;honey,2,550 pounds; eggs, 267,750 dozen; grapes 6,865pounds; wine,55 gallons;sweet potatoes,1,729 bushels;apples 12,027,peaches,2,971; pears,202;wool,199,072 pounds; milch cows owned,3,487.tons of coal mined, 853,063,being exceeded only by Perry,Jackson and Athens counties. School census,1888,7,982;teachers,152. Miles of railroad track 80/

TOWNSHIPS AND CENSUS	1840	1880	TOWNSHIPS AND CENSUS	1840	1880
Benton	448	1,628	PERRY,		1,995
Falls	1,625	5,195	SALT CREEK,	821	1,486
GOOD HOPE,	469	1,083	STARR,	622	1,411
Greene,	1,189	2,070	SWAN	759	
Jackson	472		WARD,		2,272
Laurel,	836	1,292	WASHINGTON,	1,124	1,268
Marion	1,370	1,426			

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Dear Kinfolk,

Announcements will be printed as received,Our Ohio Newsletter will be published in March, June, September and December. We would like to have your articles at least two weeks before each publication .

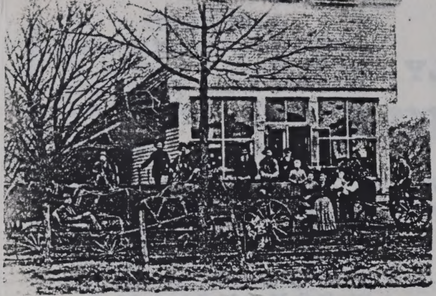
SIXTEENTH ANNUAL KERSHNER REUNION

Sunday, May 30, 1993, Butler City Hall, Butler, Missouri. Registration will begin at 10:30 a.m. and dinner (a carry-in) at 12:30. Please notify all members of your family and other interested Kinfolk.

Overnight accomodations available:
Butler, Mo: Butler Inn Motel 816-679-6183
Nelson Motel 816-679-3144
Rich Hill, Mo: Apache Motel & Camping 417-395-2161
Passaic, Mo: Diehl Camp Ground 816-679-3313

For more details contact:
Bob Kershner, Rt 1,Box 181, Amsterdam,Mo. 64723 816-267-3687
Bonnie Jackson, Rt 2, Adrian, Mo. 64720 816-267-3419
Naomi Kershner, Rt 3, Butler, Mo. 64730 816-679-5449

If you have not attended our reunions WE WANT TO MEET YOU!
If you have been here before WE WANT TO SEE YOU AGAIN!
Join us for dinner on Sat. 5/29/93 at the Flaming Lantern in Butler, 6:30 p.m. and share in having a good time with us!!!



Hunter and Mettlers Store at Haynes
A picture of the past

e Laurelville Village Square and a view down Pike St.

Summer, 1993

Dear Kershner Kinfolk and Friends,

The 8th EAST COAST KERSHNER REUNION will be on Sept. 5, 1993 at the South Pavilion, Doub's Woods' Park, Hagerstown, Maryland (same location as previous Hagerstown Reunions.) The park is located at 1307 S. Potomac St., State Route 65, Exit 29, Interstate 70.

Registration begins at 10 AM. Please bring food and beverage for a covered dish meal at 12:30.

If you would like to eat with us Sat. 9/4/93 at 6:30 PM at Richardson's Restaurant, 710 Dual Highway (Route 40 East), Hagerstown, let us know before noon of that day.

For more information, contact:

Dan Kershner,173Grade Rd.Falling Waters,WV25419,304-274-2257
Carolyn Turner,157Grade Rd. " " " ,304-274-2150

We hope you will be able to come and enjoy a time of fellowship with Kershner's from near and far. Please invite other family members and friends to come.

HISTORIC
MOUNT CARMEL SCHOOL OF NURSING
COLUMBUS,OHIO
HONORS LAST GRADUATING CLASS

The Mount Carmel School of Nursing held it's Eighty-Seventh Annual Commencement for the year 1993. Franklin University will host the classes in the future. The service was held Sunday June6,1993 3:00 P.M. at St. Brigid of Kildare Catholic Church Dublin,Ohio. An opening organ selection by Mr. Pete McClernon and the O.S.U. Brass Quartet. The touching processional of graduating nurses was proceeded by opening song"Joyful Joyful,We Adore Thee!" Words of welcome were extended by Ms. Rebecca Hardy. Mrs Ann E. Schiele, Director of the school greeted the audience Opening prayer was voiced by Sister Kathy Johnson, C.S.C. The theme presented was the Good Samaritan. Scriptures shared were Matthew 25:31-46,Ecclesiastes 3:1-11,Luke 10:25-36by student nurses Miss alisia Olivito, Miss Darcy Wilkins, Mr. Freddie Hairston, Mrs [illegible] Kimberly Taylor, Sister Kathy.Miss Kelly Barrett shared in song"Take These Wings,by Don Besig, and Sometimes by Henry Mancini. A loving prayer of thanksgiving was prayed by sister Kathy. An introductory and individual prayer prayer by Sister Kathy,Miss Lisa Davis,and Miss Kim Thomas. A response"GOD HAS DONE GREAT THINGS FOR US, " was sung by the congregation. Mrs Sharon Shimmoller, Director,Student Activities and Residence addressed the students and Families. Special thanks given by Miss Karin Hallam to the facility. The beautiful Rose Ceremony was conducted by Mrs Mary Hartley, At that time,each nurse gave a rose to those who supported and gave their encouragements. "That's What Friends Are For" by Carole Bayer Sager and Burt Bacharach preceeded Presentation of Honors,by Mrs Ann E. Schiele. Conferring of diplomas and pins and Senior response preceeded the Nurses Prayer, blessing and recessional .

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Congratulations to Mary Katherine(Giese) Hartley who received her RN Degree from the Mt Carmel School of Nursing!!! Mary is the wife of Terry R. Hartley of Laurelville,Ohio.They have a son Christopher Hartley. Mary is the daughter of Theadore and Marilyn(Younkin) Giese of Amanda,Ohio.

"Letters to

August Ucher Stout

Sally and Gust

Gust

Grandpa

11 September 1992

Dear Grandpa,

Remember how Grandma would not start anything on Friday that she couldn't finish that day? Remember that she wouldn't start on a trip on Friday? I don't know the basis of her superstition but I do know that putting aside an unfinished task on Friday and then picking it up again on Monday is frustrating. One has to pause and reflect on all of the considerations on Friday and by the time you have recalled all of them it's Tuesday! I am not going to fall into that trap in my letters to you so I'm going to finish today, Friday!

Grandpa, do you have any idea of how many Stouts have lived life in the United States of America?

I've made up some lists of just the descendants of Johann and Maria. I picked this line because their sons, George, Jacob and Samuel came to Ohio. Grandpa, by the time you put all of these Stouts in Pickaway County, Ross County, and Fairfield County and they marry in the community, the Stouts are related to a large area.

Grandpa, I may even find out how you got your given name. In working on the Kerchner genealogy, I find that Amelia Ucker married William Stout. In reviewing "The Early History of Hocking County", I find that August Ucker and his family came to an area in Logan, Hocking County ca 1839. He was active in the St. Johns Evangelist Catholic Church. In 1841 he donated land for a cemetery and church site, 2½ miles north of Logan. A log church was begun in 1841 and completed in 1844. It was dedicated as St. Johns Church and Cemetery in 1845. The place of worship was transferred from the old log church in Falls Township to Logan in 1861.

Someone, somewhere, must have had an ancestor named "August Ucker". Perhaps I'll learn who this man was and why you were his namesake. Of course, I could have asked you but it never occurred to me!

Grandpa, I've enjoyed this "time we've had together" but now I must finish some other tasks.

We'll visit again sometime!

Your granddaughter,

Nick

PS: An interesting thought: my mother was the middle child; I am the middle grandchild. Perhaps this is why I'm always in the middle of something.

(NOTE: Included are 6 pages of Stout genealogy)

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JOHANN MICHAEL STAUDT 1712–1776

m w Barbara Hougen?

♂9 December 1712 at Wolfersweiler in the Palatinate. 16 September 1733 Arrived at Philadelphia, Pa., in the ship *PENNSYLVANIA MERCHANT* from Rotterdam. With him came a cousin, MATHIAS STAUDT (D 1) and JOHANNES STAUDT (F 1), supposedly a brother. 1773 Gdn of latter's children. Owned more than 180 acres near Stoudt's Ferry Bridge on the west bank of the "Great Bend" on the Schuylkill River. The homestead passed out of the family hands in the early 1900's; in 1947 was a fruit farm. Naturalized 10 April 1761. ✠13 May 1776. ⊿Bern Church, Berks co., Pa.[63]

c **Johannes 1737–1801 ®** G 2-1
Jacob 1738–1802 ® G 2-2
Michael 1742–1807 ® G 2-3
John George 1744–1823 G 2-4
Anna Barbara 1745–
m h *Beltzer Lerch* 7 ch
Catherine Mary 1746–
m h *Christopher Lerch*
r Heidelberg Twp.
Georg Wilhelm 1748–1820 ® G 2-5
Jost 1749–1828 ® G 2-6
Appolonia 1750–
m h *Daniel Aurand*
r Buffalo Valley, Center co., Pa.
Catherine Elizabeth 12/1/1751–
m h *Peter Weiss*
r Bern Twp.
Daniel 1755–di
Marie Elizabeth 1757–dy

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[63] Tombstone reads: *Hier ruhet der leichnam eines Mitbruders dieser Kirche namens Michel Staudt, Er ist geboren 1712. Hinter lies seine Wittwe, 6 Sohne und 4 Tochter. Starb den 13 Mai 1776. 63 Jahre, 5 Monate.* [Here lies the body of a brother of the church named MICHAEL STAUDT, born 1712.. Left his widow, 6 sons and 4 daughters. Died 13 May 1776. 63 years, 5 months.]

G 2-1 #G 1

JOHANNES STOUDT 1737–1801®

m 8/12/1771 w Maria Katherine Kerchner 1751–1826 +Molltown, Pa.

★6 June 1737 in Bern Twp., Berks co., Pa. Farmer at Maiden Creek. 1777 Gdn of his cousin ANNA MARGARET of Brunswick. 1777 LT, 2nd Co., CAPT MINICK, 3rd Batt., Berks co. Militia. ✠13 October 1801. Will filed at Reading. ⊿Gernants Church near Leesport, Pa.

c **George 1771–1846** G 3-11
Jacob 1791–1847 G 3-12
Catharina Philippina 7/1/1778–
m h *Henry Body*
Barbara
m h *George Snyder*
Elizabeth
m h *Daniel Maurer*
John 1786–1886 G 3-13
Daniel –1825 G 3-14
Samuel 1792–1868 G 3-15

[64] Tombstone: *Hier ruhet Johannes Staut, er war geboren den 6 Juni 1737 und starb den 13 October* 1801. *Alt 64 Jahren, 4 Mon., 7 Tagen.* Also *Hier ruhet Maria Staudt, eine geborne Kerchner. Ehfrau von Johannes Staudt, sie wuerde geboren in Jahr 1751 und Gestorben den 21 Dezember 1826, in einem alter von 75 Jahren. Leichen Text, Jesaia ca. 32, v.2.*

G 2-2 #G 1

JACOB STOUDT 1738–1802®

m w Margaretha Catherine . –1819 Kutztown, Pa.

★12 December 1738 in Bern Twp., Berks co., Pa. Held 95 acres there. 1790 >Richmond Twp Farmer. 1777 Served in CAPT SOLDER's 5th Co., 3rd Batt., Berks co. militia. ✠20 January 1802 in Rishmond Twp., Berks co. ⊿St. Johns Union Ch. Cem., Kutztown, Pa.

c **John Jacob 1776–** G 3-21
John Adam 1777–1853 G 3-22
John Henry 1780– G 3-23
Daniel 1784–1854 G 3-24
Barbara
m h *John Schucker*
Mary
m h *Michael Knittle*
Catharina 1793–1804
Elizabeth
m h *Wm Ebling*

G 2-3

MICHAEL STOUDT 1742—1807® #G 1
m 12/18/1777 w Elizabeth Braun 1759—1820 Bern Twp.

★11 November 1742 at Stoudt's Ferry Bridge. Berks co., Pa. Received family homestead. Served in ✠Berks co. militia in Rev. [*Pa. Arch.* s 3, v 6, p 283.] ✠14 August 1807. ⊿With wife at Eppler Ref. Ch. Had 9 children, following surviving:

c John no issue
Willed estate to bro Jacob
Jacob —1853 **G 3-32**
Magdalena 1783—1848
m h *Jacob Moyer* 1778—1836
⊿Bern Church
Elizabeth unmarried
Catherine
m 1/7/1798 h *John Hehn* +Berks co.
Christina
m h *Frederick Wagner*
William —di
Mary —di

G 2-4

JOHN GEORGE STAUDT 1744—1823 #G 1
m w Anna Margaret Wolf

Farmer at Tulpehocken, Pa. Estate admin in Schuylkill co., Pa.

c Jacob co1768— **G 3-41**
Margaretha
Catherine
Magdalena

G 2-5

GEORG WILHELM STAUDT 1748—1820® #G 1
m w Christina Weidenhammer[65] 1752—1817 Maiden Creek, Pa.

★12 January 1748 at Stoudt's Ferry Bridge. 1777 Gdn nephews Daniel and Jacob. Held 150 acres in Bern Twp., Bucks co., Pa. 1777 Ensign, 7th Co., 6th Batt., Berks co. militia, in Col Henry Spycker's Regt.[66] 1785 >Maiden Creek Twp., Berks co. ✠17 December 1820 in Fairfield co., Ohio. ⊿With wife at St. Johns Ref. Ch., Kutztown, Pa. *Cf DAR* 83635 v 84.

c **George 1770—1834** **G 3-51**
Joseph 1773—1817 unmarried
Margareta 1775—1831
m h *David Gross*
Magdalena 1778— **G 3-52.6**
Daniel
Adam
Jacob 1786—1873 **G 3-55**
Catherine
m h *Daniel Meckley*
Maria
m h *Daniel Mertz*

[65] Dau Johannes Weidenhammer.

[66] *Pa. Arch.* s 5, v 5, p 229.

G 2-6

JOST STOUDT 1750—1828® #G 1
m w Mary Elizabeth Ort 1754—1849

★14 March 1750 in Bern Twp., Berks co., Pa. Held over 100 acres there. Served in Berks co. militia, Capt. Solder's Co. in Revolution.[67] ✠20 April 1828.

c **Jacob 1780—1834** **G 3-61**
Margaretha
Catharina
Anna Barbara
Magdalena

[67] *Pa. Archives*, series 3, volume 6, pages 283, 307.

G 3-11

GEORGE STOUT 1771—1846 #G 2-1

m w Maria Dunkel 1770—1840

★5 September 1771 in Maiden Creek Twp., Berks co., Pa. [Tombstone indicates 1769.] 1803 >✠Clearcreek Twp., Fairfield co., Ohio. Farmer. ⊿Stout cem., Washington Twp., Pickaway co., Ohio with wife. ✠7 March 1846.

c **John 1795—1865** G 4-11-1
George 1797—1864 G 4-11-2
Johnathan 1800—1884 G 4-11-3
Isaac 1801—1871 G 4-11-4
Benjamin 1804—1868 G 4-11-5
Sarah Alice 1808—1881 G 4-11-5.5

G 3-13

JOHN STOUT 1786—1886 #G 2-1

m 1/28/1809 w Elizabeth Engle

★13 December 1786 in Maiden Creek Twp., Berks co., Pa. r Manheim Twp. ✠21 May 1886.

c Mary
m h *George Maurer*
John G 4-13-1
Solomon G 4-13-2
Esther
m h *George Gossler*
Valentine G 4-13-3
James 1827— G 4-13-4
Jacob G 4-13-5
David Engle 1820—1894 G 4-13-6
Alfred 1832— G 4-13-7
Caroline
m h *Wm Umbenhauer*

G 3-12

JACOB STOUDT 1791—1847 #G 2-1

m w Catherine Margaret .... 1791—1858

★3 January 1791 in Berks co., Pa. 1812 >Farm in north part of Washington Twp., Pickaway co., Ohio. 1836 Built brick house on farm. ⊿With wife at Werner Church.

c **Solomon 1814—1888** G 4-12-1
Samuel 1/3/1815—6/18/1847
Johnathan J. 1820—1874 G 4-12-3
Maria 1823—1902 G 4-12-3.5
Malinda 8/7/1825—3/7/1847
Jacob J. 1827—1891 G 4-12-4
Susannah
m h *David Pontius* 1824—1888
Benjamin G 4-12-5
Daniel —1905 G 4-12-6
David G 4-12-7
Matilda
m h .... *Farst*
r Darke co., Ohio
Louisa
m h .... *Morine*
r Darke co., Ohio
Elvina
m h .... *Palmer*
r Missouri

G 3-15

SAMUEL STOUT 1792—1868 #G 2-1

m 1817 w Susanna Hilpert 1793—1877

★20 November 1792 in Maiden Creek Twp., Berks co., Pa. Served in Capt Thomas Moore's Co., 2nd Regt., Pa. militia in War of 1812. [*Pa. Arch.* s 6, v 8, p 1206.] 1834 <Farm in Berks co. to Montgomery Twp. and later >✠Clearcreek Twp., Ashland co., Ohio. Built cabin. Was member of Clearcreek Christian Ch. Good violinist. ✠25 December 1868. ⊿Clearcreek cem.

c **John 1818—1885** G 4-15-1
Samuel G 4-15-2
Daniel G 4-15-3
Charles 1823—1887 G 4-15-4
Polly
m h *George Koder*
{ **William 1828—1907** G 4-15-5
{ **Augustus 1828—** G 4-15-6
Matilda
m h *George Koder*
r Fulton co., Ohio
Almina
m h *Frank Lea* >Kearney, Neb.
George 1834—1894 G 4-15-7
Susanna
m h *Daniel Whitten*
David

G 3-14

DANIEL STOUT —1825 #G 2-1

m 1810 w .... Hottenstein

★Berks co., Pa. r Maiden Creek Twp. 1825 Henry Hottenstein gdn of Susan and Adam Reber was gdn of Daniel and David.

c Susanna G 4-14-0.5
Daniel
David

G 3-21
JOHN JACOB STOUDT 1776— #G 2-2
m ?1793 w Rebecca Reid 1770—1834

★17 May 1776. Farmer near Kutztown, Pa. Mgr ZIMMERMAN Estate at Maxatawny. 13 ch.

c **Jacob 1792—1853** G 4-21-1
William G 4-21-2
John
m 12/14/1818 w *Rebecca Richard*
Samuel G 4-21-4
dau
m h .... *Brown*
dau
m h .... *Mohr*

G 3-22
JOHN ADAM STOUDT 1777—1853 #G 2-2
m 11/18/1814 w Catherine Wagner

★Berks co., Pa. Farmer in Richmond Twp., Berks co.

c Priscilla 8/19/1819— G 4-22-0.5
m h .... *Feldhoff*
♂ 10/16/1819. *r Maxatawny*

G 3-23
JOHN HENRY STOUDT 1780— #G 2-2
m w ....

★7 May 1780 in Bern Twp., Berks co., Pa. Lived one mile south of Clansville, Lehigh co.

G 3-24
DANIEL STOUT 1784—1854 #G 2-2
m w Catherine Bowman

★17 April 1784 in Bern Twp., Berks co., Pa. Distiller in Maiden Creek Twp. and later ✠Kutztown, Pa. ✠30 August 1854; ⊿HOTTENSTEIN private cem., Kutztown.

c **Adam** **G 4-24-1**
Hetty Esther 7/1/1808—9/6/1846
m h .... Kern
Margaretha 5/2/1810—12/12/1893
m h *Jacob Saul* 1801—1890
r Molltown, Pa.
Hannah unmarried
Polly unmarried
Reuben **G 4-24-2**
George 1816—1882 **G 4-24-3**
Isaac 1818— **G 4-24-4**
Maria
m h *Joseph Hamshire*
+Bowers, Pa.
Frank 1824—1861 unmarried

G 3-32
JACOB STOUDT —1853 #G 2-3
m w Elizabeth .... 1787—1849

Farmer in Bern Twp., Berks co., Pa. Owned 300 acres on Schuylkill River and farm at Heidelberg, Pa. wp 3 January 1854. ⊿Eppler Church.

c **John 1823—1869** **G 4-32-1**
Catherine 1811—
m h *Daniel Reeser* 1808—1888
+Berks co., Pa. Received farm at Heidelberg in father's will.
Polly
m h *John Zacharias*
Harriet
Sarah

G 3-51 #G 2-5

GEORGE STAUDT 1770—1834

m w Rebecca Wolf

★25 May 1770. Farmer at Tulpehocken, Pa. >Maiden Creek, Pa.

c **George 1794—1851**
Jacob
Daniel
>Circleville, Ohio
Benjamin
Maria
m h .... *Levan*

G 4-51-1 Eva —1865 unmarried?
G 4-51-2 Elizabeth
m h .... *Becker*
Sarah
G 4-51-4 m h .... *Fox*
Barbara
Simarias

G 3-52.6

MAGDALENA STAUDT 1778— #G 2-5

m h John Mohr

★11 August 1778 in Bern Twp., Berks co., Pa. Family >Ohio.

c Sarah 1806—1873
m h *Daniel Ernst 1808—1843*
Daniel 1809—1890

G 3-55

JACOB STAUDT 1786—1873 #G 2-5

m 1812 w Sarah Reeser 1790—1842

★2 September 1786 at Calcium, Pa. Farmer there. ✠28 February 1873. ⊿Beckers Ref. Ch.

c **Benneville 1816—1898** G 4-55-1
Margaret 1818—di
George 1820—
Rebecca 1822—
m h *Isaac Huy*
Jacob 1824—1862 G 4-55-3
Daniel 1825— G 4-55-4
Joel 1827—1882 G 4-55-5

G 3-61

JACOB STAUDT 1780—1834 #G 2-6

m 7/24/1804 w Elizabeth Saman 1785—1854

★5 August 1780. r ✠⊿Berks co., Pa. ✠20 October 1834; ⊿Bellemaris Church.

c dau 1799—1874
m h *John Riehm*
John
Daniel
Jacob 1805—1871 G 4-61-3
George C. 1809—1891 G 4-61-4
dau
m *John Stoltz*

G 4-11-1

JOHN STOUT 1795—1865 #G 3-11

m 1820 w Ann Meyers[68] 1802—1891

★10 January 1795 in Berks co., Pa. 1808 >Fairfield co., Ohio. Farmer in Washington Twp., Pickaway co., Ohio. ✠18 March 1865. ⊿With wife at Werner Ch. cem., E. Ringold, Ohio.

c Reuben 1824—1825
Eliza
Caroline 1822—1887 G 5-11-10.6
Mary Jane 1835—1897 G 5-11-10 7
Cornelius 1837—1915 G 5-11-11
Eli G 5-11-12

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c **John** G 5-11-13
Catherine
m h *Jacob Metzger*
>Kansas
Rose G 5-11-13.4
Sophia G 5-11-13.5
Harriet
m h *Eli Metzger*
Elizabeth 1838—1892 G 5-11-13.7

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[68] Dau of GEORGE and ELIZABETH MEYERS.

GEORGE STOUT 1797—1864
m w Elizabeth Christy 1803—1838
m 1840 w Christina Crist 1822—1889

★Berks co., Pa. Farmer near Circleville, Pickaway co., Ohio. ✠20 January 1864. ⊿Reformed Church cemetery in Stoutsville, Ohio.[69]

c Sarah 1824—1911	G 5-11-20.5	Christina 1835—1879	G 5-11-22.5
Nancy 1830—1832		Harriet 1844—	G 5-11-22.6
William 1827—1868	no issue	Catherine	G 5-11-22.7
m 10/9/1851 w *Amelia Ucker* 1832—1916		Mary	G 5-11-22.8
+Fairfield co., Ohio. Kept store in old depot		Ida J.	G 5-11-22.9
building, Stoutsville, O. ⊿Forest cem.		Lavina	no issue
Abraham Christy 1830—1899	G 5-11-21	m h *Eli Bixby*	
Andrew V. 1837—1902	G 5-11-22	George, Jr. 1858—1870	

[69] Five infants: SUSAN, CHARLES, ISABELLA, JOSEPH and one unnamed, presumably of this family buried in STOUT cemetery, Pickaway co., Ohio. First wife also.

G 4-11-3
JOHNATHAN STOUT 1800—1884 #G 3-11
m 10/4/1824 w Nancy Christy[70] 1805—1874 +Pickaway co., Ohio

★1 June 1800 in Berks co., Pa. Farmer in Clearcreek Twp., Fairfield co., Ohio. Also ran saw mill, grist mill and cider press. Charter member and trustee ⊿Reformed Church at Stoutsville, Ohio. ✠29 December 1884.

c dau 1825—di		Amos 1836—1917	G 5-11-33
Rachel 1826—1891	G 5-11-30.5	Margaret 1832—1908	G 5-11-33.5
Catherine 1827—1909	G 5-11-30 6	Johnathan C. 1839—1863	G 5-11-34
Reuben 1830—1914	G 5-11-31	Isabel 1845—1913	G 5-11-34.5
Malinda —1913	G 5-11-31.5	Serilda 1847—1854	
Israel 1834—1914	G 5-11-32		

[70] Dau ABRAHAM and CATHERINE CHRISTY.

G 4-11-4
ISAAC STOUT 1801—1871 #G 3-11
m w Mary Esther Meckley 1805—1881

★12 December 1801 in Berks co., Pa. Farmer and miller near Circleville, Ohio ✠24 November 1871. ⊿With wife and two infant children in STOUT cemetery, Washington Twp.

c Abraham 1822—1898	G 5-11-41	son 1840—di	
Elizabeth 1828—1881	G 5-11-41.5	Michael 1841—1855	
Catherine 1830—1914	G 5-11-41.6	Melinda 1844—1923	G 5-11-45.5
{ Daniel M. 1833—1910	G 5-11-42	Samuel S. 1848—1934	G 5-11-46
{ Leah Ann 1833—1899	G 5-11-42.5	Ann	G 5-11-46.5
Henry A. 1835—1918	G 5-11-43	Joseph	
Isaac, Jr. 1837—1917	G 5-11-44		

G 4-11-5
BENJAMIN FRANKLIN STOUT 1804—1868 #G 3-11
m 1/18/1826 w Anna Marie Christy 1807—1876 +Fairfield co., Ohio

★1 April 1804 in Berks co., Pa. >Ohio where he laid out town of Stoutsville. Farmer, stockman and extensive land owner. ✠10 August 1868 at ⊿Stoutsville; ⊿With wife at Ref. Ch.

c George W. 1828—1906	G 5-11-51	David 1837—1924	G 5-11-53
Simon 1830—1907	G 5-11-52	John 1840—1899	G 5-11-54
Isaac 1831—1832		Jesse[71] 1842—1860	
Lydia 1833—1866	G 5-11-52.5	Thomas 1844—1925	G 5-11-56
Lucenda 1835—1862	G 5-11-52 6	Mahala 1846—1847	
son 1836—di		Peter 1847—1914	G 5-11-57
son 1836—di		son 1850—di	

[71] ⊿Reformed Church cem., Stoutsville, Ohio. Accidentally shot on JOHNATHAN STOUT farm. Epitaph: *Oh, why did you shoot me— what in the Lord's name did I do. Heaven's for us all.*

G 4-11-5.5
SARAH ALICE STOUT 1808—1881 #G 3-11
m 8/7/1831 h Jesse Drake Courtright 1811—1873 +Fairfield co., Ohio

★9 March 1808 in Berks co., Pa. 1834 >Walnut Twp., Pickaway co., Ohio. 1835 Husband was state legislator and large land owner, bequeathing each child a farm. Large brick homestead still in the family. ✠⊿Circleville; ⊿Forest cem.

c Mary Jane 1832—1902	G 5-11-58.1	Samuel Wilson 1842—1913	G 5-11-58.6
Sarah 1834—1901	G 5-11-58.2	Alva Paul 1845—1897	G 5-11-58.7
Elizabeth 1836—	G 5-11-58.3	Edson B. 1847—1867	unmarried
John 1838—1917	G 5-11-58.4	Amanda 1849—di	
George Stout 1840—	G 5-11-58.5		

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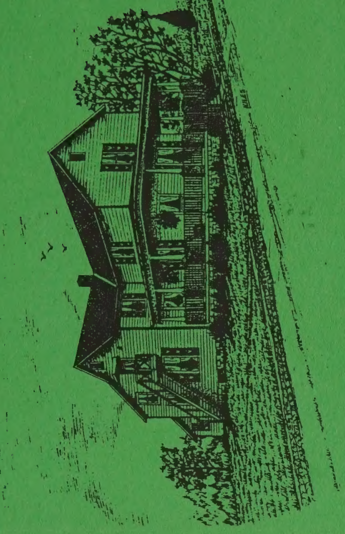

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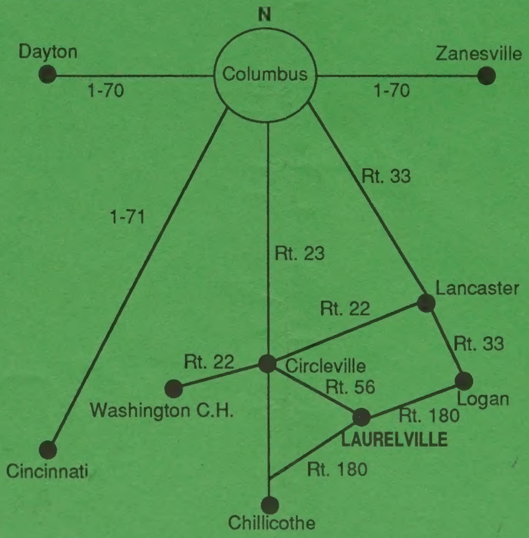

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[The following article was taken from the Boarder News,Aug.5,1938]
William N. Parks was the grandson of George & Lurahah(Dawson) Reid

WILLIAM N. PARKS
FORMER HOCKING CO. CITIZEN HAS WONDERFUL WAR RECORD
BUDIED WITH MCKINLEY AND HAYES

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WILLIAM N. PARKS,born February 2,1849,in Hocking Co.Ohio son of Jesse and Amelia Reid Parks, departed from this life July 9,1938,aged 89 years 5 mo. and 5 days.

Being the oldest of four brothers and responsibility of the family fell on his shoulders at a very early age. For several years he shouldered this responsibility,but the call "TO ARMS" was too great for him. After being rejected twice because of his immature age of 15 years,he made a third attempt at enlisting. This time he gave his age as 18 and was accepted. He He enlisted at Circleville,Ohio July 26,1864 and was placed in Company G, 23rd Regiment Ohio Volunteer Infantry. Immediately he was sent to the battle front and began active service,in the Shenandoah Valley,Virginia. Three weeks after enlistment he fought in the battle of Stanton, Va. He served in four other major battles:Berryville,Va. Winchester,Va. Fisherhill,Va.and Cedar Creek, Va. Twice he was wounded but not seriously. At one time a bullet severed his canteen strap over his heart. On another occasion a cannon ball burst near him throwing a piece of shrapnel into his hip. Two United States Presidents in the same conpany with him were William McKinley and Rutherford B. Hayes. McKinley was the Captain and Hayes was the Corporal and later was Brigadier General in the Union Army. Mr. Parks enjoyed relating his stories concerning the war and spent many hours talking to the school children in the neighborhood about them.

After his return from the Civil War, he made his home for a short time in Hocking County and later went to Illinois to join his family,which had moved there during his absence. He spent several years while there as a farmer.

He married Sarah R. Swackhammer, Nov.26,1870 at Nancy,Ohio .Here he operated a country store and served as Post Master for eight years. He also served his community as assessor, treasurer,and was a school Director for twelve years. He was always deeply interested in the affairs of the State and County. He moved to Circleville,Ohio Aug. 23,1923.

Shortly after his removal to this city, his wife Sarah,passed away Dec. 6, 1923. Since that time he made his home with his two sons. Albert of Circleville,Ohio and George of Washington C.H.,Ohio. Besides his two sons he is survived by a brother, Jacob,of St Elmo,Illinois.,six grandsons,Darrel and Dwight of Washington C.H.,Ohio, Noel and Marlin of Middletown,Ohio Cloyce of Columbus,Ohio and Boyce of Circleville,Ohio.Two granddaughters ,Sophia Parks of Circleville,Ohio and Ruth Ann of Washington C.H.,Ohio . Bobby of Columbus,Ohio and David Williams of Circleville,Ohio.

Mr. Parks had many hobbies,which were responsible for his great contentment during the last years of his life. He spent much time writing and spent a great part of his time reading. He loved the "great out of Doors",and spent all of the time possible there. Walking was perhaps his greatest hobby. Often he walked from his home in Hocking County to Chillicothe,Ohio,a good distance of 25 miles,leaving home in the A.M. and arriving at his destination in the evening.

Altho his condition had been serious he talked of attending the 75th Anniversary of Gettysburgh, July 4th,1938,and had all plans to attend until recently.

He was a member of the Mt. Carmel Methodist Church, member of G.A.R. Post at South Bloomingville,Ohio and was lately made Honorary Vice President of the Monumental Association of Circleville,Ohio.

Mr. Parks was Circleville's last Civil War Veteran. Military services at the grave were conducted by members of the Howard Hall Post,American Legion. Services in the home of Mr. Park's son, Albert S,Scioto Street,were in charge of Rev. S.C. Elsea of Tarlton,O. assisted by Rev. L.C. Sherburne,of Circleville,Ohio,and C.L. Thomas of near E. Ringold,O.

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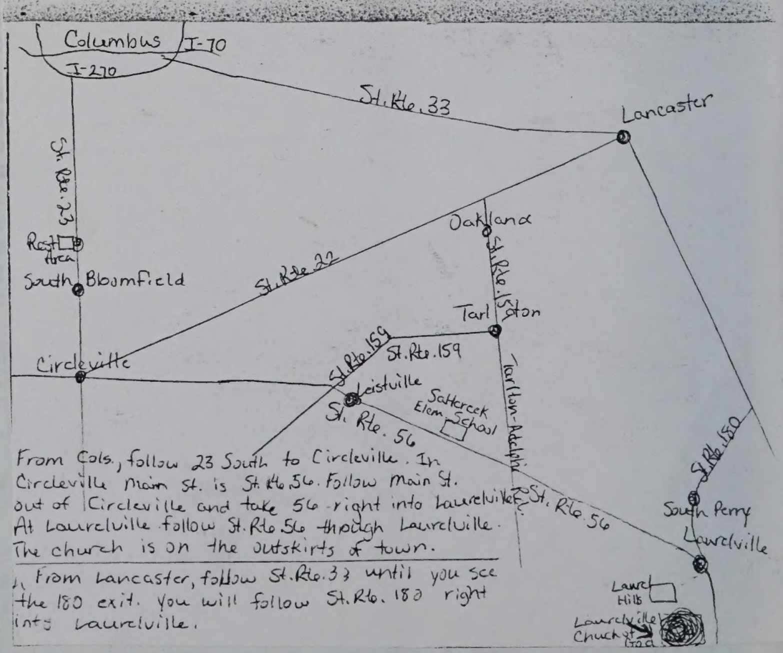
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From Cols., follow 23 South to Circleville. In Circleville Main St. is St. Rte. 56. Follow Main St. out of Circleville and take 56 right into Laurelville. At Laurelville follow St. Rte. 56 through Laurelville. The church is on the outskirts of town.

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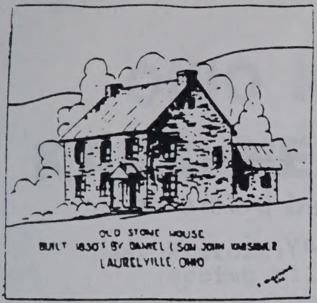
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SPECIAL INVITATION

Memorial Day is a time of reflection, for remembering family members no longer with us. How better this year than by celebrating with life of Daniel Karshner (1772-1852) and his family, all Karshners being descended from either Daniel or Jacob.

Through the results of the Family Fund Raiser, Daniel's marker is in place. You are invited to a rededication of the grave and historical marker. It's something the entire family can be very proud of.

A short grave-site ceremony will be conducted by the Reverend Lawrence Myers of the First English Lutheran Church of Lancaster, Ohio, followed by a rifle salute, honor guard and flag ceremony courtesy of the Ohio National Guard.

Place:
Old Lutheran Cemetery
Route 327
Adelphi, Ohio

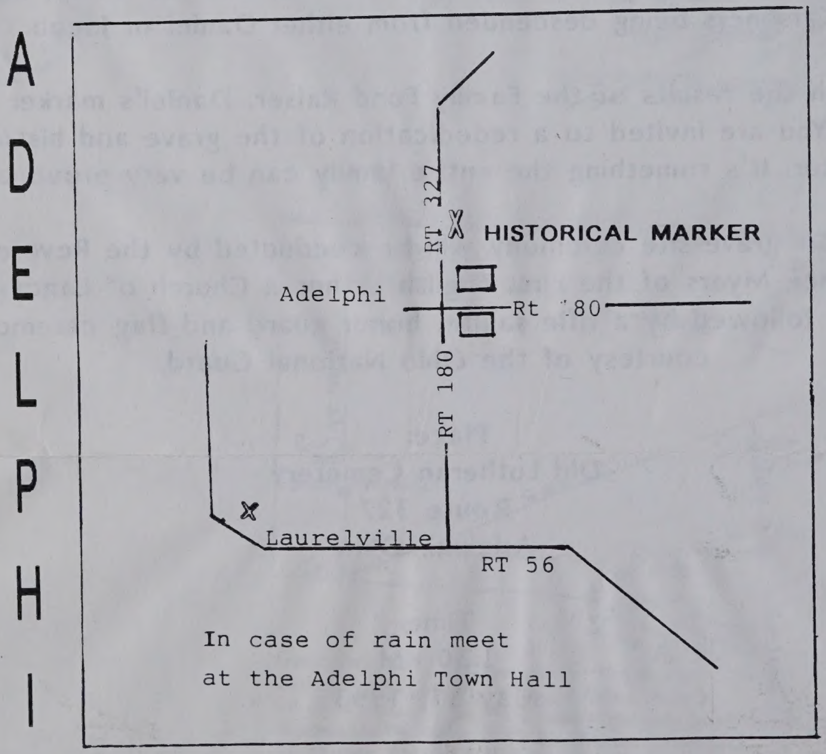
Time:
1:30 PM
May 31, 1993

SPECIAL INVITATION

Make a day of it and while in the Salt Creek Valley Area visit the gravesites of other family members who have passed before us. Let's make it an old fashioned Memorial Day.

Hope to see you there.

Glenn A. Karshner
of the Fund Raising Committee
(any questions? – call 614-875-7772)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KARSHNER, KERSHNER, KIRSCHNER

Dear Kinfolk,

Spring will officially be here the 20th of March. As the earth is awaken from it's long winter sleep,we long for it's miracle of transformation! Life is awesome,and to behold,and partake of each day,one can say"We have truly been blessed!" Our ForeFather's teaching still ring out today:(To every thing there is a season, and a time to every purpose under the heaven: A time to be born, and a time to die; a time to plant, and a time to pluck up that which is planted; A time to kill,and a time to heal; a time to break down, and a time to build up; A time to weep,and a time to laugh; a time to mourn, and a time to dance; A time to cast away stones, and a time to embrace,a time to refrain from embracing; A time to get, and a time to lose; a time to keep,and a time to cast away; A time to rend, and a time to sew; a time to keep silence, and a time to speak; A time to love, and a time to hate; a time of war,and a time of peace).Yes,as the flowers appear,and the song bird is singing We can say, The Winter Is Past!

Spring is a delightful time to dig into your Family Research! We have much in store for our Families this 1993 year! Our Family celebration will be held October the 10th at the Laurelville Church of God Pavilion.We hope you can be with us this year,as it is such a special time together! Have a Wonderful Spring!

Kinfolk Love,

Loren Karshner Hartley

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OHIO KINFOLK NEWSLETTER SEEKING BIBLE,MILITARY RECORDS

The Ohio Kinfolk Newsletter is seeking records of existing Family Bible,Military information,and any old correspondence of the "K" Family History.

Suggested project ideas are as follows;

Chapter 1- Bible information

Chapter 2 Military information (we're always looking for grandpa's military records.) Xeroxed copies of discharge records,military information for current members and anyone serving in the Guard. old military discharges, civil war,revolutionary, 1812, Indian Wars, WWI,WWII, Korea, Viet Nam, Mexican , Desert Storm & Somilan. (Have we missed anyone?)

Chapter 3 Any old correspondence from ... to... The every day living/existing makes very interesting reading.

I'm sure that you might be able to add to the above list.

Please send ideas and Family project information to;

LORNA LUEGRING
4404 ATWOOD
FORT WAYNE, INDIANA 46806-4916

These records will be collected as valuable ancestral information for today's and tomorrows generations. .

Bible records need to include a copy of the title page ,pages of Family birth ,marriage,death and any other pertinent record info.

OHIO

PICKAWAY COUNTY'S GENEALOGY LIBRARY

The library will be open Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday from 1-4 PM. It is located at 304 S. Court Street in Circleville,Ohio. For those unable to visit the library, limited research will be done by volunteers for an $8.00 d0-nation per surname. Include a SASE with check and request. Mailing address is P.O. BOX85 Circleville,Ohio 43113-0085.

~~Dues are $12.00~~

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Darlene is a "K" Kinfolk, writes for the Circleville,Herald and has a sincere love for the [illegible] Family. Professionally she is a certified paralegal.Affiliate of Pickaway Co Genealogical Library.

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A QUOTE FROM DARLENE WEAVER'S LETTER:
"OLD GENEALOGISTS NEVER DIE, THEY JUST LOSE THEIR CENSUS!"

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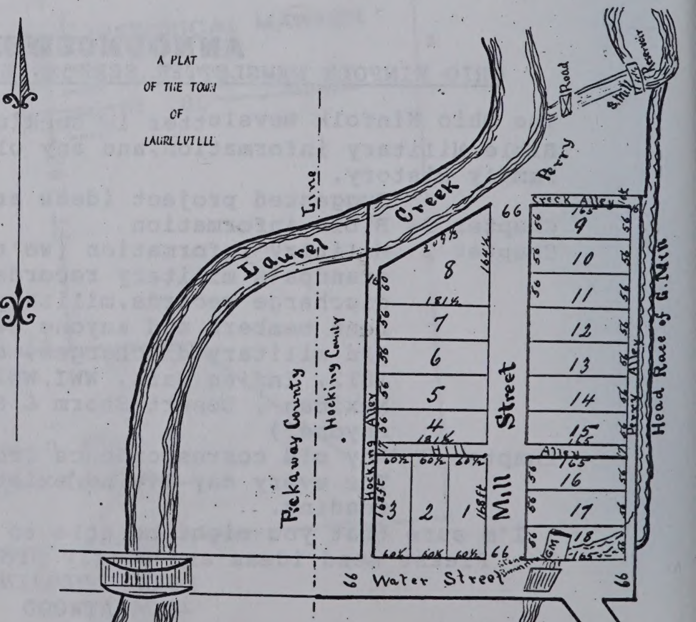
JACOB"S LINE

WELCOME TO THE FAMILY

MASTER WALKER

David and Julie Walker of Circleville are the parents of a 7-pound, 11-ounce son, William Damon, born Feb. 18, 1993, at Lancaster-Fairfield Community Hospital.

Grandparents are William and Joy Walker of Circleville, Perry and Carolyn Brown of Chillicothe and David Ebert of Laurelville. Great-grandmothers are Mary Walker of Circleville and Florence Pontious of Laurelville.


A PLAT
OF THE TOWN
OF
LAURELVILLE
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Laurel
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Reservoir
Creek Alley
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Pickaway County
Hocking County
Hocking Alley
Mill
Street
Alley
Perry Alley
Head Race of G.Mill
Water Street
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60½
56

THE ORIGINAL PLAT OF LAURELVILLE
Note: The Mill Race which furnished the water power for a sawmill and grain mill.

GENEALOGY

FAMILY OF ROGER KARSHNER
TOLUCA LAKE, CALIFORNIA

Jacob Karshner (my great-grandfather) was Born February 14,1825. He died on January 13,1914. He married Margaret Hosler. She was born on October 18,1844 and died on January 28,1881. They had nine children: Cyrus, Richard, Johanna, Mary, Etta, Binna, Georgia, John and an unnamed child who died in infancy. Cyrus Karshner (my grandfather) was born in 1876 and died on December 28,1928. He married Rebecca Haynes. Cyrus and Rebecca had three children: Noble Porter(my father) who was born on May 24,1900 and died on January 28,1970; Robert Jacob, who was born on September 21,1903 and died in 1939;and Ruth Mae who was born on May 3,1901 and is currently living in Columbus, Ohio. My father,Noble Porter Karshner, married Edith Bookwalter Maag of Hallsville on June 30,1923. She was born on March 2,1889 and died on April 30,1990. I am the only child of this union.

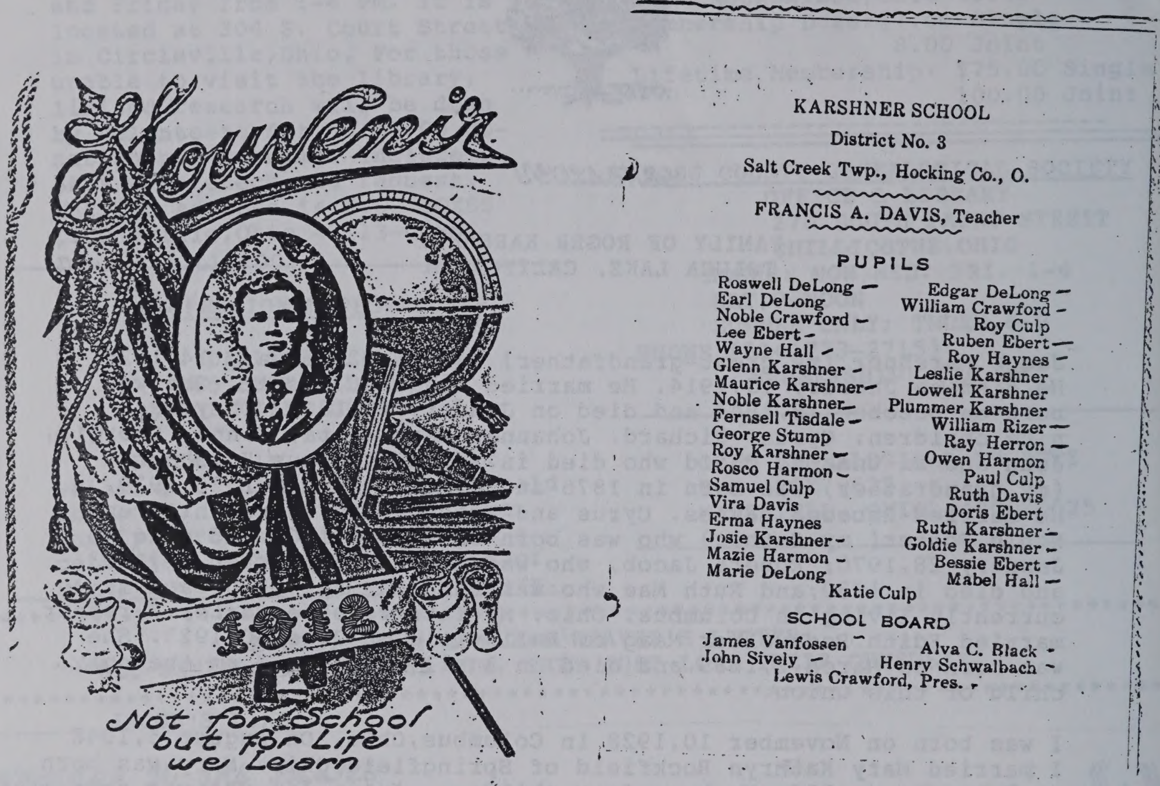
I was born on November 10,1928 in Columbus,Ohio. On August 5,1948 I married Mary Kathryn Rockfield of Springfield,Ohio. Mary was born on February 4,1930. We have four children: Julie Ann who was born on June 25,1949; David Porter who was born on February 26,1954; Sally who was born on April 14,1955; and Molly who was born on January 19, 1957. We have five grandchildren: Kristin,daughter of Sally, born on March 3,1980; Kathryn, daughter of Julie Ann, born on December 3; Megan, also the daughter of Julie Ann, born on October 6,1985; Allison, daughter of Molly, born on September 25,1986; and Maddlyn, also the daughter of Molly, born on June 21,1990.

THREE CHEERS FOR YOU

MILITARY FAMILY RETURNS TO OHIO

Sgt. Russell " Rusty" Hartley, son of Howard and Karen (Karshner) Hartley recently returned to Laurelville,Ohio from a 10 year tour in the United States Marine Corps. During his tour Rusty was stationed at the Twenty Nine Palms, California Marine Corps Air Ground Combat Center. He successfully served during Desert Shield/Desert Storm as a Tracked Vehicle Mechanic. Rusty and wife Denise(Groce) have three children Dustin, Jessica, and Aaron.

I REMEMBER WHEN


Souvenir
1912
Not for School but for Life we Learn

KARSHNER SCHOOL

District No. 3

Salt Creek Twp., Hocking Co., O.

FRANCIS A. DAVIS, Teacher

PUPILS

Roswell DeLong
Earl DeLong
Noble Crawford
Lee Ebert
Wayne Hall
Glenn Karshner
Maurice Karshner
Noble Karshner
Fernsell Tisdale
George Stump
Roy Karshner
Rosco Harmon
Samuel Culp
Vira Davis
Erma Haynes
Josie Karshner
Mazie Harmon
Marie DeLong
Edgar DeLong
William Crawford
Roy Culp
Ruben Ebert
Roy Haynes
Leslie Karshner
Lowell Karshner
Plummer Karshner
William Rizer
Ray Herron
Owen Harmon
Paul Culp
Ruth Davis
Doris Ebert
Ruth Karshner
Goldie Karshner
Bessie Ebert
Mabel Hall
Katie Culp

SCHOOL BOARD

James Vanfossen
John Sively
Alva C. Black
Henry Schwalbach
Lewis Crawford, Pres.

THE KARSHNER SCHOOL
DISTRICT NO 3
SALT CREEK TWP., HOCKING CO., OHIO
LOCATION TWP. 11, RANGE 19, SECTION 5
GRADES 1-8

The one room school house number One and Two, was situated on the property of Salem Karshner. The first operated in 1861.,while the second until the late 1920's. Description of the school as one entered the building : Inside the door on both sides were shelves and coat racks. The shelves was storage for one's lunch.
In the center of the room was a Pot Belly Stove.Seats were on both sides of the room. At one time recitation benches were used,and five or 6 children would be seated. The opposite side of the room seated the teacher and his or her desk. The black boards were on both sides of the teacher's desk.The McGuffey Reader was taught. At the front of the school, a refreshing drink was obtained from the pump. At one time shingles covered the roof,but then changed to tin. A board fence surrounded the school. In the winter the children used the north side of the school for their sleds.Students would walk to school from Happy Hollow Road,California,Hollow,and the Salt Creek Twp. Area.

(OUR THANKS TO EUGENE B. KARSHNER,A FORMER STUDENT,AND HIS FATHER Glenn E. Karshner'S MATERIAL THAT MADE THIS ARTICLE POSSIBLE.)

Letters to

August Ucher Stout

Sally and Gust

Gust

Grandpa

5 September 1992

Dear Grandpa,

It's one of our Saturday afternoons. It looks like Fall outdoors. Ohio State University is playing its first football game of the 1992 season. Remember the fall seasons of 1934 and 1935? My parents would prepare to do their weekly shopping and other business in Chillicothe. They would drop me off at your house for the afternoon. You would settle down in your favorite chair. I would bellydown on the davenport with my elbows in one of Grandma's many feather pillows. The radio would be tuned to the proper station. We were ready to play football! That was how I learned the game. The first season you explained the plays to me; the second season I was able to challenge the wisdom of some of the plays. None of this, however, prepared us for the 1935 Notre Dame game!

Today, however, the game was entirely different. OSU played like little chess men, waiting for someone to move them around. Hopefully that talent will be allowed to exert itself.

Their play gave me a chance to think of other things. I wonder what sports were played in 17th Century Germany. Or was all of their time spent in fencing and martial arts?

It would be a pretty sure bet that games were not played on Sunday in Berks County, Pennsylvania. One can assume there was strict observance of the Sabbath.

Grandpa, todays game was lacklustre and my mind started straying. Remember it was September 1733 when Johann Michael came to America. During the next five years, he settled on land along the Schuylkill River, Pennsylvania. He married Barbara Hougen and soon had a large family, their first child having been born 6 June 1737. Johann and Barbara are buried in Bern Church Cemetery, Berks County, Pennsylvania. His grave marker became the worse for wear and mostly destroyed. To celebrate the 250th anniversary of his arrival, the descendants purchased and erected a marker which contains a bronze plaque, 24" long and 12" wide. Hopefully many of us will visit Bern Church Cemetery to pay our respects and say our thanks to Johann Michael.

Incidentally, Grandpa, Conrad Karshner (1717-1791) and wife Catherine Bek (1723-1813?) were the grandparents of Daniel and Jacob Karshner who came to Ohio between 1805 and 1810. Conrad and Catherine are buried in Zion Church Cemetery. This cemetery is located between Shoemakersville and Windsor Castle. This is North of Reading, Pennsylvania. I mention this, Grandpa, because Zion Cemetery is surrounded by a stone wall three feet high.

Now, Grandpa, what does cemeteries with stone walls remind you of? Yes! The Stout cemetery on Winstead Road in Pickaway County. Do you think stone walls around cemeteries are a German custom or a Kerchner custom?

Johann's son, George, must have been courageous, a trait possibly inherited from his grandfather. George came to Ohio when he was older than Ohio and settled in what is now Pickaway County. He and Maria Dunkel married ca 1794 in Pennsylvania. They had five sons and one daughter. Their fifth son, laid out the plats for the village of Stoutsville, Fairfield County, Ohio.

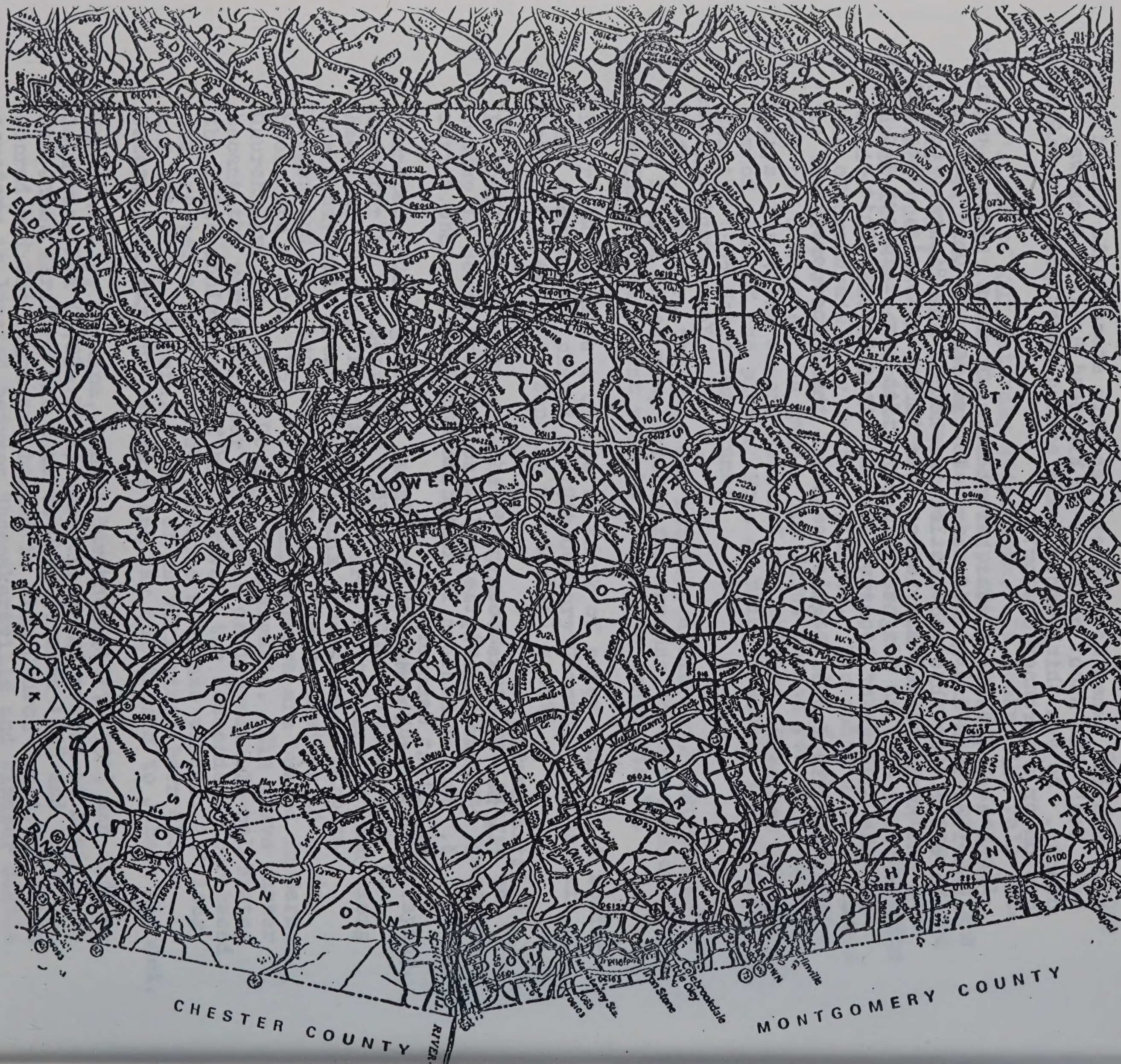
Grandpa, the football game is over - thank goodness!

We'll reminisce again.

Your granddaughter,

Nick

5 Attachments:
1. Map of Berks County, PA
2. Plaque Inscription
3. Map of Eastern Pickaway County, OH
4. Stout Cemetery
5. Stout Cemetery


CHESTER COUNTY
MONTGOMERY COUNTY
RIVER
MUHLENBERG
LOWER
French Creek
Manatawny Creek

JOHANN MICHAEL STAUDT

1712 - 1776

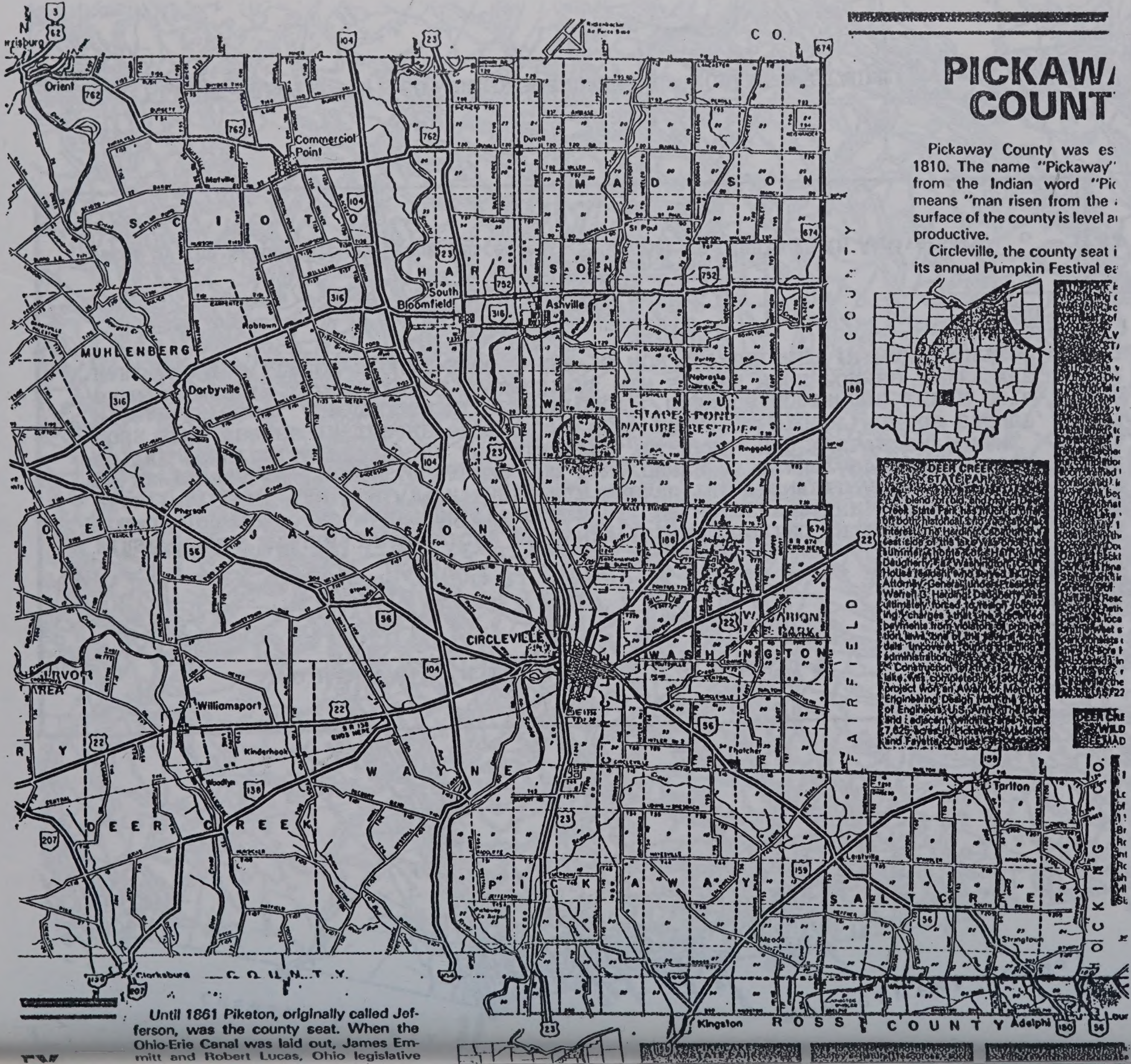
	(Characters and spaces)
FIRST GERMAN STAUDT IN AMERICA, DIED MAY 13, AND BURIED IN THIS CEMETERY.	73 @ 3/8 in.
SON OF JOHANNES AND MARIA BRITZIUS STAUDT, OF WOLFERSWEILER, RHINELAND-	71 "
PALATINATE, HE ARRIVED AT PHILADELPHIA ABOARD THE 'PENNSYLVANIA MERCHANT'	73 "
ON SEPTEMBER 18, 1733. A FARMER AND LAND OWNER AT STAUDT'S FERRY BRIDGE	72 "
ON THE SCHUYLKILL RIVER, HE AND HIS WIFE, BARBARA, HAD TWELVE CHILDREN.	71 "
FOUR SONS SERVED IN THE REVOLUTIONARY WAR: JOHANNES STOUDT, JACOB STOUDT,	73 "
MICHAEL STOUDT, AND GEORGE WILHELM STOUDT. GRANDCHILDREN AND THEIR CHIL-	73 "
DREN JOINED IN THE WESTWARD MOVEMENT AS NEW STATES WERE FORMED AFTER THE	72 "
WAR, AND THE STAUDT-STOUDT-STOUT NAME IS NOW ESTABLISHED IN MANY STATES.	72 "
(Placed by the Staudt-Stoudt-Stout Descendents September 29, 1983, 250th Anniversary)	84 @ 5/16

PLAQUE ERECTED IN 1983 BY DESCENDANTS OF JOHANN M STAUDT

PICKAWA
COUNT

Pickaway County was es
1810. The name "Pickaway"
from the Indian word "Pic
means "man risen from the
surface of the county is level a
productive.

Circleville, the county seat i
its annual Pumpkin Festival ea



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MUHLENBERG
Darbyville
Nebraska
WALNUT
STAGE'S POND NATURE RESERVE
Ringgold
Pherson
JACKSON
DEER CREEK STATE PARK
Fox
CIRCLEVILLE
WASHINGTON
A.W. MARION PARK
Williamsport
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Stoutsville
Clarksburg
COUNTY
Kingston
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Adelphi
FAIRFIELD COUNTY
HOCKING CO.

DEER CREEK STATE PARK

A blend of old and new, Deer Creek State Park has [illegible] of both historical [illegible] interest. The Harding C[illegible] east side of the lake was [illegible] summer home of Harry M. Daugherty, Fa[illegible] Washington C[illegible] House resident who served as U.S. Attorney General under Pres[illegible] Warren G. Harding. Daugherty was ultimately forced to resign following charges that he accepted payments from violators of prohibition laws, one of the [illegible] deals uncovered during Harding's administration.

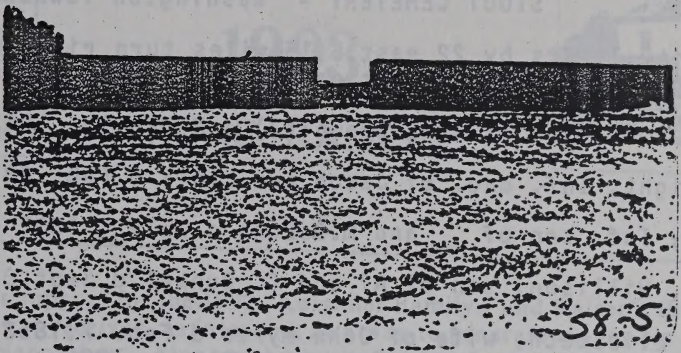
Construction of the 1,277-acre lake was completed in 1968. The project won an Award of Merit for Engineering Design from the Corps of Engineers, U.S. Army. The park and adjacent wildlife area total 27,625 acres in Pickaway, Madison and Fayette Counties.

DEER CRE
WILD
MAD

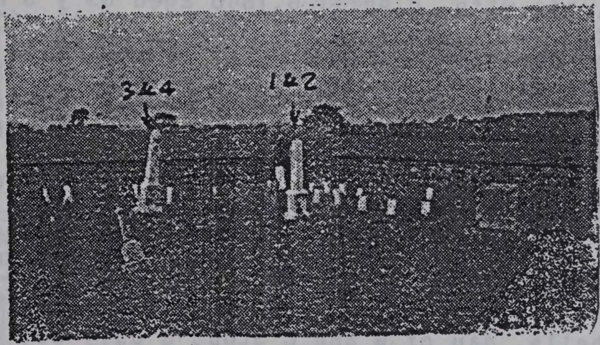
Until 1861 Piketon, originally called Jefferson, was the county seat. When the Ohio-Erie Canal was laid out, James Emmitt and Robert Lucas, Ohio legislative

OLD STOUT CEMETERY

WASHINGTON TWP., PICKAWAY CO.; OHIO



The cemetery was established in 1808 by the founders of Stoutsville. Built by George Stout; contractor, David Kline of East Ringold. The masonry by William Levan and Nathan Stout. The cemetery is surrounded by a stone wall, built from sandstone blocks from Local quarry in "Devil's Backbone." Its symetry and workmanship are perfect. The wall was restored in 1844. It was rebuilt about 1908 by Moses and David Fosnough (Fausnaugh).



A few years ago this was a very beautiful cemetery with high, impressive grave markers. Wind, weather, and possibly vandals have broken off the high spires but much information is still available and one can get an idea of what the cemetery must have looked like in its earlier years.

(NOTE: From Circleville, proceed East on State Route 22 to Winchester Southern Road and turn right. Proceed about a block and turn right on Winstead Road. This appears to be a private road. There is a residence on the right and you will see the stone wall of the cemetery on your left.)

Interments in

STOUT CEMETERY - Washington Township

From city limits by 22 east 5.15 miles turn right on Winchester-Souther Road, go .3 mile turn right on Winstead Road go .35 mile to cemetery.

Brown, Amos, son of Anna Brown (J) d March 10, 1852 aged 1 y 3 m 13 da

Courtright, Inf. dau. of Jacob and Lidia d Feb. 28, 1853

DELong, Inf. son of __ and M.DeLong d July_, 185? age ?

Dunkel, Willison, son of A? and C. Dunkel d Sept.8,1860 age _y 23 d

Myres, Elizabeth, wife of John Myres d Feb. 7,1852 aged 57 y 9 m 6 d
Inf. son of J and E Myres d Dec.__,1825
Susanah, dau " d June 20,1837 aged 2 y 7 m
George, son " d Sept.15, 1839 aged 1 y 3 m
Lydia, dau. " d Sept.17,1839 aged 2 y 9 m
Mary, dau. " d Dec.28, 1833 aged 5 y 11 m
Inf. son " "Gone home"

Stout, Isaac, d Nov.24,1871 aged 69 y 11 m 12 d
Mary, his wife, d Jan.29,1881 aged 75 y 7 m 18 d
Michael, son of Isaac and Mary b Mar.17,1841 d Aug.19,1855
George, d March 7,1846 aged 74 y 6 m 2 d
Mary, his wife, d April 6,1840 aged 69 y 5 m 3 d
Isaac, son of Benjamin and Mary d Mar.25,1832 aged 7 mo
Infant dau. of " d Aug.21,18_6 aged 19 d
Mahala, dau of " d Aug.24,1847 aged 1 y 2 m 18 d
Infant dau of " d Feb._,1850 aged _ _ _
Infant son of Elisa and Sarah Stout d Aug.30,1850
Infant son of I and M.J.Stout d Aug.27,1861
Lau__, dau of " d __,1820 aged 6 y 8m
Infant son of I and M Stout d June 10, 1810
Reuben, son of John and Anna d Oct.15,1824 aged 1y 2 m 14 d
Elizabeth, wife of George, d Mar.20,1838 aged _4 y 11 m 12 d
Mary, dau of George and Elizabeth d_16,1832 aged 2 y 2 m 7 d
Infant dau of Jonathan and Nancy b Sept.13,1825 no death date
Issabella, dau of G and C Stout d July 30,1841 aged 2 y 6 m 10 d
Charles, son of " d April 28,1850 aged 2 y 11 m 28
Infant son of " dJune 14, 1851
Joseph, son of " d April 8, 1854 aged 5 y 3 m 19 d
Sarah Ann, dau of D and E d Oct.26,1860 aged 3 y 6 m 6 d
Abraham, Sept.7,1822 - June 30, 1898
Katherine, May 21,1857 - May 13,1883
Simon P. Aug.24,1858 - June 28, 1881

Susan - stone notlegible
Stone on wall not legible
2 other stones not legible

	L_R	G	W
George Stout	3	6	1812

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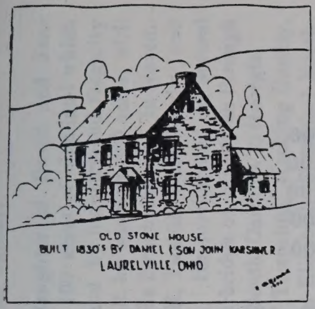

OLD STONE HOUSE
BUILT 1830's BY DANIEL & SON JOHN KARSHNER
LAURELVILLE, OHIO

issue 1293

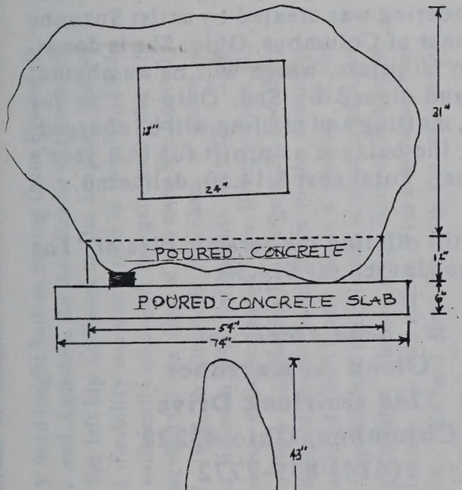
DANIEL

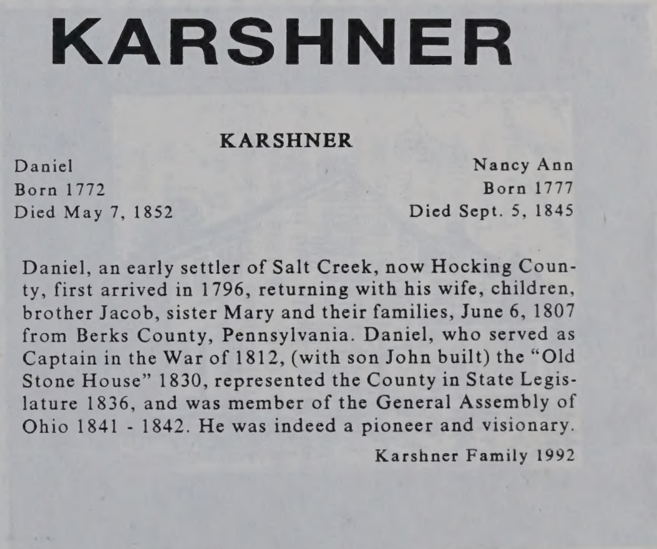
KARSHNER
FAMILY
1993
FUND RAISER

JACOB

First, thank you for your support for the 1992 "Karshner Family Fund Raiser", the ceramic tile of "The Old Stone House" was received, as intended, as a way to generate money for a suitable grave marker for "Daniel and Nancy Ann". Along with his brother Jacob, sister Mary and families arrived from Berks County, Pennsylvania, on June 6 1807. Daniel and Nancy Ann do not have a grave marker. Because of your support for the 1992 fund raiser and private family contributions, the fund has over $ 700.00 for their marker.

SUGGESTED "DANIEL AND NANCY ANN" MARKER





KARSHNER

KARSHNER

Daniel
Born 1772
Died May 7, 1852

Nancy Ann
Born 1777
Died Sept. 5, 1845

Daniel, an early settler of Salt Creek, now Hocking County, first arrived in 1796, returning with his wife, children, brother Jacob, sister Mary and their families, June 6, 1807 from Berks County, Pennsylvania. Daniel, who served as Captain in the War of 1812, (with son John built) the "Old Stone House" 1830, represented the County in State Legislature 1836, and was member of the General Assembly of Ohio 1841 - 1842. He was indeed a pioneer and visionary.

Karshner Family 1992

SUGGESTED ENGRAVING ON ALUMINUM PLAQUE

We had a meeting November 3 1992 at the Village Restaurant, Laurelville, Ohio, to discuss the mounting of the Aluminum plaque, and what should be engraved. Serving on the committee are, Innes Spencer, Larry Azbell, Burnell Karshner, Karen Hartley, Marleen Riddle of Laurelville, Donna and John Karshner of Adelphi, Rolland Karshner and Glenn Karshner of Columbus. The next scheduled meeting will be February 2, 1993, at 7:00 PMat the restaurant. Final approval will be made on what will be engraved. If you have any suggestions on the marker, your attendance would be more than welcome.

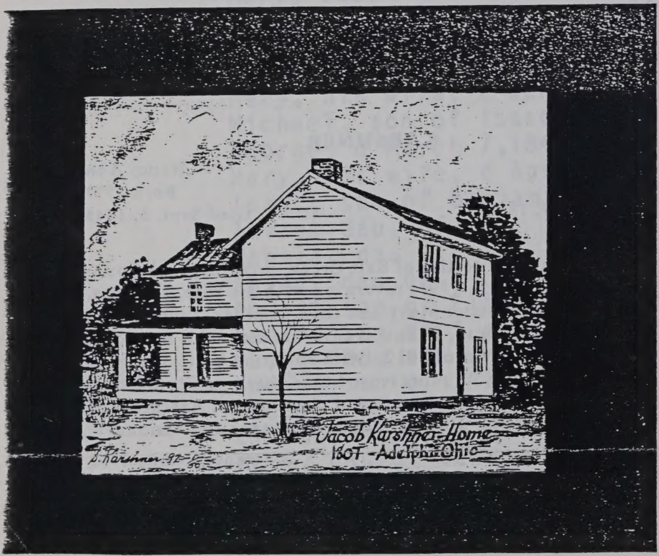
LOGAN MONUMENT QUOTE

Quotation for Karshner plaque and labor:	
Aluminum plaque 24 x 18,	$ 538.00
Labor to smooth off stone	$ 72.00
Drill 4 holes & attach plaque	$ 40.00
Cement foundation	$ 288.00
Total	$ 938.00

Although the quoted amount is more than our Fund Raiser bank balance, optimistically, because of the successful response to last year's Fund Raiser, and private family contributions, we are moving forward on the grave marker. The balance will be generated through the 1993 Fund Raiser and donations.

Pictured below in the "1993 Fund Raiser" offering. The house is Jacob and Mary Magdaline [*nee Dunkelberger*] Karshner's home, built in 1807, at Adelphi, the year they arrived from Berks County, Pennsylvania.

1993 FUND RAISER



Size 8"X10" in color

Although it doesn't show the beautifully colored fall scene, it does show Jacob's house which is still standing at Adelphi. The water color rendering was created by artist Suzanne L. Karshner of Columbus, Ohio. She is donating up to 50 prints, which will be numbered, matted and signed by Sue. Only $ 2.50 for printing, matting and mailing will be charged, allowing the balance as profit for this year's fund raiser. Total cost $ 14.50, delivered.

We are still offering the ceramic tiles of "The Old Stone House" for $14.50.

Send orders to:
Glenn A. Karshner
3748 Gairlock Drive
Columbus, Ohio 43228
(614) 875-7772

A special "Thank You" to Donna and John Karshner of Adelphi, Ohio, for their donation of the Rock Boulder for mounting the Aluminum plaque. Without it we couldn't have done the project this year. Also to Rolland Karshner for doing the art work for the ceramic tiles for last year's fund raiser, then donating the entire cost of $150.00 to the Fund Raiser. Frank Karshner's $25.00, Larry Asbell's $80.00 and other Anonymous contributions totaling $200.00 and to all who purchased a ceramic tile, again Thank You.

slk:GAK

ruary, 1866, he married Maria, daughter of David and Jane (Smith) Dressback. He located on 160 acres of fine land which was his share of his father's estate, and by industry and frugality has added to it from time to time till he has now 300 acres, with good frame residence and commodious farm buildings. In November, 1863, he enlisted in Company M, Twelfth Ohio Cavalry, and was mustered out in October, 1865. He participated in several skirmishes and was with General Burbridge on his march through Virginia, Kentucky, Tennessee and South Carolina to Georgia.

Nelson Karshner, born in Perry Township, Hocking County, March 25, 1839, is a son of John and Elizabeth (Spangler) Karshner. His mother was a daughter of Samuel Spangler, who represented Fairfield County, Ohio, in the Legislature and Senate twenty-one years. Nov. 2, 1862, Mr. Karshner married Annie, daughter of Jacob and Mary (Ebert) Hostler. They have had eight children, four sons and two daughters now living. After his marriage Mr. Karshner settled on a portion of his father's farm where he still resides. In 1878 he bought 154 acres of fine land. He was elected Township Treasurer in 1864 and has held the office by re-election till the present time, this being his nineteenth year.

Rufus Karshner, born in Salt Creek Township, Hocking Co., Ohio, Dec. 22, 1823, is a son of Elijah and Eliza (Halderman) Karshner. His father was born in Pennsylvania, and came to Hocking County with his father in 1807, and died Feb. 26, 1879, aged seventy-nine years. He reared eight out of nine children to be men and women. At his death he left a fine property of 424 acres. Rufus Karshner was married Sept. 10, 1858, to Delilah Ebert, daughter of Jesse and Elizabeth Ebert. They have nine children—Susan A., now Mrs. John Drum; Diana, now Mrs. Charles Dent; Laura, now Mrs. Charles Blanchard; Eliza, Jessie May, Franklin, Elijah, Daisy and Bishop. Mr. Karshner lived with his father two years after his marriage, and then bought the place where he now lives. He has 133 acres of land which he has brought under a good state of cultivation. He was elected County Commissioner in 1879 and re-elected in 1882. He is a member of the German Reform church. Politically he is a Democrat.

William Kennedy, son of John and Jane (Campbell) Kennedy, is a native of Ireland, born Aug. 4, 1826. He came to America in 1846; landed in New York, and remained there a year. Then went to New Philadelphia where he lived till 1861. Aug. 19 of that year he enlisted in Company I, Thirtieth Ohio Infantry, and

participated in many hard-fought battles, among them Frederick City, South Mountain and Antietam. In the latter he was wounded in the upper part of the left hip and sent to the hospital, but on account of continued disability was discharged in October, 1863. Oct. 4, 1864, he was sufficiently recovered to again enter the service, which he did, serving till the close of the war. Mr. Kennedy was married Feb. 7, 1852, to Elizabeth Robinson, a native of Ireland, who came to America with her parents in 1833. They are the parents of eleven children, seven now living—John C., James R., Sarah E., Elma E., Charles E., Margaret A. and Mary N. Mr. Kennedy has held several local offices in the township, being at present Justice of the Peace. He is a member of the Grand Army of the Republic and the Soldiers' Monumental Association of Pickaway County. He has a fine farm of 280 acres, 120 being well cultivated, the rest timber, with a two-story residence erected in 1876. Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy are members of the Methodist Episcopal church.

Charles Spencer, son of James C. and Eleanor (Karshner) Spencer, was born in Ross County, Ohio, April 20, 1830. He was married Jan. 24, 1857, to Jane Strous, daughter of John and Angeline Strous, of Pickaway County, Ohio. They have five children—James, Mary J., Anna, John and Ella. The first year after his marriage he lived with his father, and then went to Pickaway County, and lived two years. In 1860 he returned to Hocking County and lived on what was known as the Larrick farm, till 1873. He then bought his brother's interest in the home farm and returned to the old homestead. He now has 444 acres of fine land, all well cultivated, and is considered one of the best farmers in Hocking County.

George W. Wiggins, born Oct. 13, 1836, is a son of Z. D. and Lucinda (Haynes) Wiggins, the former of English and the latter of German descent, but both natives of Ohio. In 1862 he was appointed Assistant Provost Marshal, a position he held till 1864, when he enlisted in Company C, One Hundred and Twenty-first Ohio Infantry. Owing to ill health he was on the field very little, though he was at Washington when the Confederates were trying to take the city. He was discharged in November, 1864, and returned home, and again served as Assistant Marshal till the close of the war. He was married Oct. 20, 1859, to Caroline, daughter of Jesse and Elizabeth (Plank) Ebert, natives of Ohio. They have seven children—Mary, Jacob, Laura, Ransford, Sherman, Clara and

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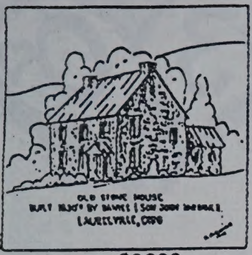

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OHIO KINFOLK NEWS LETTER

Reunion

Once again, as the hills and valleys display their beauty, various branches of the Karshner, Kershner and Kirschner "Family Tree" were united.

The October 11, 1992 celebration opened with registration, representing five states, at the Laurelville Church of God shelter house.

The opening prayer by Howard Hartley preceded one hundred and four guests enjoying the 12 o'clock potluck, fellowship hour. The autumn decorations were by Donna, Gene and Virginia Karshner.

A recording, sent from Rolf and Ursel Kirschner of Langenselbold, Germany, was presented to the family group. This historical tape was presented in Berlin, Nov. 9, 1989, the day the Berlin Wall came down. This composition by George Handel, was from the years (1685-1759).

Some of the family met Rolf and Ursel at the Hagerstown, Md. Kershner reunion in 1991.

A welcome musical presentation "Love Will Be Our Home" was sung by Karen Hartley. An introduction of each guest preceded the family business, history and award presentation.

Award winners were: to the oldest woman present, Anna (Karshner) Lytle of Lancaster and the oldest man, Clifford Strous of Laurelville.

The youngest boy was Jerrod Rife of Kingston and the youngest girl was Havala Heise of Circleville. The newest wed couple was Dale and Marlene (Karshner) Riddle.

The anniversary award went to Winfred and Grace Dumm, 53 years. The travelers award went to Richard and Ann (Spencer) Sandstrom of Douney, Calif.

Delightful letters entitled "letters to Grandpa," and a family history of the Stout family written by Helen Mettler of Chillicothe was shared and given to each guest.

Lorna Luegring of Ft. Wayne, Ind., shared her publication of the Mohe family. Her writings related favorite poems and old letters from the late 1900s.

A letter was read from the "Winterthur Museum" congratulating the "K" families of Ohio for starting their organization.

"Winterthur" is an unraveled collecion of early American decorative arts (1640-1860), Naturalistic gardens and a treasure-filled research Museum in the Historic Brandywine Valley region of Winthur, Del. There the Conrad Kershner rooms are located.

WELCOME TO THE FAMILY

MISS HINTON

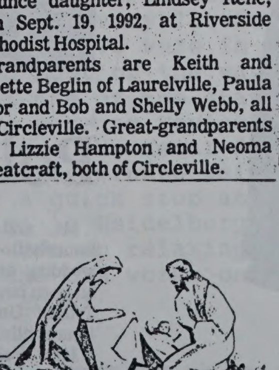
Randy and Lesley Swepston Hinton of Laurelville are the parents of a 5-pound, 10-ounce daughter, Karley Ann, born Sept. 8, 1992, at Lancaster-Fairfield Community Hospital.

Grandparents are Lois Swepston and Mr. and Mrs. Don Hinton, all of Laurelville. Great-grandparents are Hattie Karr and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hinton, all of Laurelville.

MISS WEBB

Randy and Kathy Webb of Circleville are the parents of a 6-pound, 11-ounce daughter, Lindsey Rene, born Sept. 19, 1992, at Riverside Methodist Hospital.

Grandparents are Keith and Annette Beglin of Laurelville, Paula Kisor and Bob and Shelly Webb, all of Circleville. Great-grandparents are Lizzie Hampton and Neoma Wheatcraft, both of Circleville.



Those who attended the reunion were:

Dan and Alma Kershner of Falling Water, W.Va.; Bob and Lorraine Kershner, of Amsterdam, Mo.; Ken and Lorna Luegring of Ft. Wayne, Ind.; Richard and Ann (Spencer) Douney of Sandstrum, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. John Karshner, Adelphi; Helen Mettler; Linda (Karshner) Pinni; Dorothy (Karshner) Imler; and Martie Temple and daughter Sarah Jane, all of Chillicothe; David Kent and Chris Spencer of Cincinnati.

Karen (Karshner) Greeno; Gyla, Havala and Brittany Heise; Faye (Karshner) Taylor; Debby Wright; and Albert Karshner, all of Circleville.

Glenn and Sue Karshner; Hilgar and Helen Karshner; Robert and Carole Short; Eddie and Joannn Eberhard; Rolland Karshner; and Trent Karshner, all of Columbus.

David and Rosemary Archinal of Dover; Gregory and Teresa (Boyer) Hartley of Groveport; Ross Co. Recorder reporter, Wayne Cryder of Hallsville; Tom and Nellie Covey of Haviland; and Kurt and Bonnie Coil of Jeffersonville.

Jodi and Jerrod Rife; Teresa (Karshner), Jason and Justin Wiseman of Kingston; Helen DeLong; Bernice Sharp; Doris LeMay; and Anna (Karshner) Lytle, all of Lancaster.

Burnell Karshner; Ines (Karshner) Spencer; Clifford Strous; Pauline (Karshner) Beglin; Dale snd Marlene (Karshner) Riddle; W.K. and Grace Dumm; Larry Azbell; Howard and Karen (Karshner) Hartley; and Merrill Karshner, all of Laurelville.

Philip, Andrea, Jared and Jessica Karshner of Marysville; Helen Gunderman of Paulding; Ed and Mary Laukhuf of Payne; Michael G., Laura Lee, Chase and Jessica Kershner of Plain City; Linda and Scott Fitch of Pomeroy; and Judy (Karshner) Carte of Richmondale.

Marie Karshner; and Harold and Eileen (Karshner) Nihiser, all of Rockbridge; Nancy Nichols of Shaker Heights; Thomas "Bill" and Jo Ann Karshner; Rita, Judson and Denver Karshner; and Lucia Karshner, all of Tarlton.

Henry and Grace Hancock; Keith, Jeannette and Anna Semones; and Carole (Karshner) Kollmer, all of Worthington; Bob and Ann Nicholas; Nancy Nicholas; Evelyn Leisure; and Sandy Starcher, all of Zanesville.

"OUR FAMILY"
IS A CIRCLE OF LOVE!
BLESSED
BY EACH BIRTH,AND EACH UNION
FROM ABOVE!
TOGETHER
WE SHARE LIFE'S JOYS AND SORROWS
AND STRENGTHEN OUR TIES
FOR ALL OUR TOMORROWS.

KAREN (KARSHNER) HARTLEY

HISTORY OF LAURELVILLE

Laurelville was laid out in 1871. It was located opposite the point where Laurel creek joins Saltcreek. Water power used by our forefathers as a means of providing power for machinery such as sawmills, flour mills and other machinery, may have been an influencing factor in locating Laurelville at the junction of the two streams.

John and W. S. Albin, along with Solomon Riegel assisted by Rufus Dodson were responsible for the town lay-out. Several additions have been added since its beginning. There were two additions made by Allen Strous and at least one made by George Mowery, and one known as the White addition, taken from a family name of White.

In 1871 Laurelville had three houses but the new village grew rapidly and in a few years it listed 200 citizens.

The citizens of Laurelville were not only thrifty but were proud of their town and they soon developed a sense of good appearance with good streets, walks, neatly trimmed shade trees and well kept homes.

The people who lived here were good neighbors and they were concerned about each others welfare, so with emphasis on brotherhood it was natural for newcomers to move into this new village just as soon as homes were available.

The first three business places to open were general stores owned and operated by Rufus Dodson; Hedges, Drum and John McNichols. H. D. Riegel owned and operated a planning mill. A sawmill was owned by Drum, Riegel and Steel. Zara McDaniels operated a flour mill which had a capacity of 50 bbl. of flour per day - (The sawmill and the flour mill were operated on water power). By the turn of the century several other business places were started such as, blacksmith shops, harness shops, chair factory, canning factory, bakery, hotels, restaurants and others.

Howard & Karen(Karshner)Hartley
United in marriage,October 26,1962
by Rev. Edwin L. Jaycox
Celebrated their 30th Anniversary
Returning to the Historic town of
Richmond, Indiana,sure brought many
changes,of how "It use to be"!
An Enjoyable trip to Decatur,Indiana,
(birthplace of Karen),and back roads
of the "Amish Country",sure made
a delightful trip.

MR. and MRS. HUGH POLING

Poling

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Poling of Laurelville will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary Sept. 20 with an open house from 2 to 4 p.m. at the Trinity United Methodist Church, Laurelville.

Mr. Poling and the former Eleanor June Armstrong were united in marriage Sept. 21, 1942, in Columbia, S.C., by the Rev. Gillespie.

Mr. Poling is retired from Igel Construction Co. in Columbus and Mrs. Poling is a retired cook from Logan Elm Schools.

They are the parents of Michael Poling. They also have one granddaughter.

Merry Christmas
AND BEST WISHES FOR THE NEW YEAR

GREETINGS TO ALL THE COUSINS!!!

Last week I received a letter from my daughter,telling me about her train trip to Heidelberg for a school conference.I hope you will enjoy reading part of it also.

The "Duty Train" ,she wrote,was one of the few ways the allied forces and families were able to leave Berlin,and go into W. Germany. As many of you know,Berlin was an"island",surrounded by E. Germany, and well guarded by the Soviet soldiers ,to prevent any escapes.Other than trains and planes the only other way was by auto through what was referred to as the "Corridor".It was a well guarded road of 110 miles,with numerous watch towers,and Soviet soldiers.Traveling the "Corridor: made me happy to be an American with free travel!

My daughter and her husband and son have been stationed in Berlin for four years,and expect to stay until all remaining allied forces leave in December of 1994. Cherie is a teacher,and is hoping to be transferred to another school system in the Atlantic region,and would be happy to go to Cuba or Bermuda.

Dear,Mother,

We came out on the "Duty Train" yesterday,and I can't but compare it to the "Old Duty Train". It was our life line with West,where all our support facilities were when the country was still divided.

Yesterday the trip started as before,standing on the platform in the dark. This time the dark was tinted with the hope of dawn, rather than the gloom of gathering night.When the wall was up the "Duty Train: was the link that made us feel we were still connected to the "World".Most of the facilities were available to us in Berlin , but the major problems like finance snafus;some surgery and most important,the major shopping found jn Frankfurt.

The old train was a sleeper,and we would board it at about 9 A.M. The time of departure changed daily to make terrorist attacks less likely ,and the route was also varied. We made the first stop in Potsdam,where the engine was exchanged for an East German engine.We were guarded by Soviet soldiers to make sure no one got off or on the train. We proceeded through the East to Helmstadt ,where the engine was then switched again. It was a dark trip,even in the summer, so little could be seen of the station when a stop was made. Frequent stops were also made for other trains to pass.

From Helmstedt the tracks were much smoother with fewer stops , but the route was varied. We reached Frankfurt near dawn-usually 5 A.M. and 6 A.M. One morning I was peeping out the window ,when I caught my first glimpse of Langenselbold. It was another year before I got to visit there,and made contact with our"New Cousins", Rolf and Ursel Kirschner.

Yesterday the "Duty Train",was a first class car on the regular morning route from Berlin to Frankfurt. Before,we always traveled in the dark,so we were unable to see very little of their part of Germany. We left at 6 A.M. and by the time we were in Pottsdam it was daylight. The tracks have been replaced most of the way,and the ride was smooth, quiet,and fast. We stopped at one of the stations I remember as a regular stop,but this time there were no Soviet soldiers guarding the tracks. At Helmstedt it was just the usual 2-3 minute stops to pick up passengers-not the fifty or sixty minute wait We got into Frankfurt a little after noon ,and after a quick stop at Berger King across the street ,we made our connection to Heidelberg and the conference.

I love the trains. They are so relaxing and you can see the beauty of the country side. I hope the USA works on improving their rail system.

Must go to class. Write soon!

Love,
Cherie

"HAPPY,HEALTHY, HOLIDAYS TO ALL"
Ines (Karshner) Spencer

Dear Kinfolk,

These cool breezy days,an evening sitting by the crackling fire,creates a realization(WINTER IS UPON US!!). A steaming cup of tea,coffee,or cocoa soon chase the chills away,and usher a warmth of knowing our summer chores are completed.The first snow flakes have always brought an assortment of baked goods. I recall in days gone by ,how those goodies brought smiles to the family,and an extra warmth to enhance a winters day. It seemed Mother always had trouble keeping the first batch,as those warm cookies and bread served with love,seemed to taste the best!Yes,this"Family Tradition" in our kitchen has continued for as long as I can recall.

Speaking of"Family Traditions", did you know the Christmas tree had its beginning on the Rhine,in Western Germany,during medieval times? The live green tree played a major role in medieval plays presented during advent,four weeks preceding Christmas. This fir tree was decorated with apples, and was used only as a prop on stage for the medieval plays. It attracted the attention of the spectators, especially the children.

Long after the plays ceased to be performed, the memory of the fir tree decked with apples lived on in the minds of the German people. They began to bring fir trees into their homes during the advent season and decorate them with apples. As time went on, other decorations representing the advent season were added. These were round wafers and cookies of various shapes and sizes.

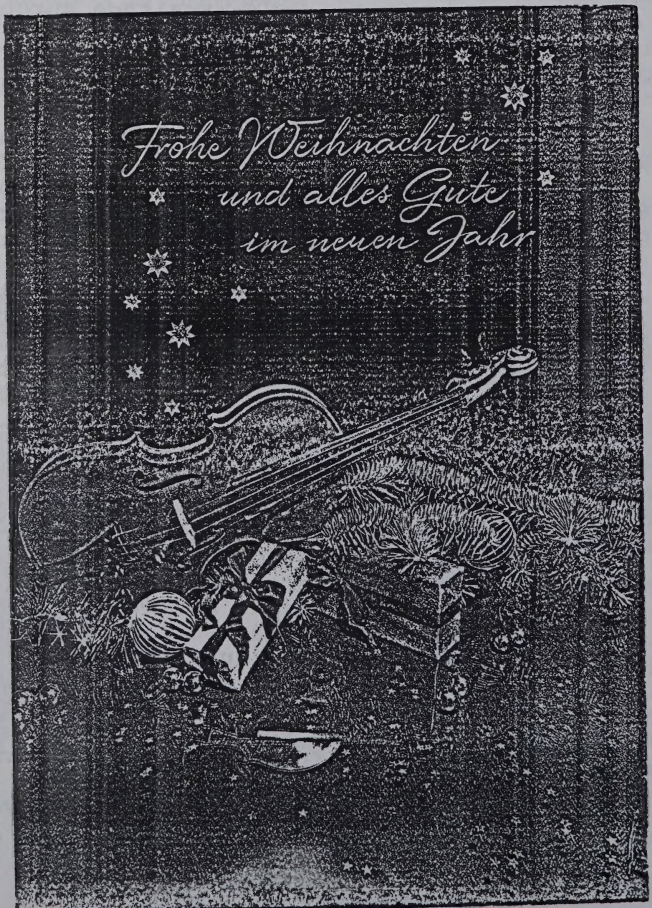
Eventually candles were added to the tree. Candles ,another tradition of our Christmas season, were lighted with ceremony on Christmas eve with all members of the family participating.

We cherish our Mother Country Germany,and the"Traditions"we share with our Families today!Colorful German Advent Calendars with little windows to open for each day of the season are a delight to children everywhere!Stollen, Marzipan, lebkuchen, springerle,are holiday treats of German origin.Remember our"Family Traditions" as you decorate you tree this year!

MERRY CHRISTMAS,!!!,Straight from our heart and home :May God the Father ,His Precious Son, and the Holy Spirit, be "The Light that guides and warms your hearts!!!

Howard and Karen (Karshner) Hartley

Rolf and Ursel Kirschner,sent"Greetings"from Langenselbold,Germany.,Isn't this a beautiful message,and card?!!! May this German message brighten your Season ,and year to come!!!



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THE NINETH ANNUAL EAST COAST KERSHNER REUNION

Sunday,September 4, 1994 Kershner Kinfolk gathered for the 10:15 A.M. worship service at the Historic Hain's Chruch in Wernersville Pa. . At 1'clock a carry-in and fellowship was enjoyed at the "church grove". The Hain's chruch is located on Church road North of Route 422 near Phoebe-Berks Village. Those attending from Ohio were Bob and Ann Nicholas of Zanesville, and four generations represened the Burnell Karshner Family : Burnell,daughter Karen Hartley, grandson Terry and wife Mary (Giese) Hartley, and great-grandson Christopher Hartley of the Laurelville,Ohio area. A 3:30 tour of the Phoebe-Berks Village and ruins of the Conrad Kershner homestead were enjoyed by the guests. Phoebe -Berks Village is a Life Care Retirement Community recently built on the old Conrad Kershner Homestead. The remains of the eighteenth century farmstead have been retained .Phoebe-Berks Village is a full-scale retirement community, located on a 66-acre farmsland of rolling hills in Wernersville,Pa. Scattered with woodlands, sparkling streams and tranquil pastures, the Village stands in the midst of some of the most beautiful naturla landscape to be found in Eastern Pennsylvania. the perfect setting for retirement living at its finest. Life at the Village brings residents a renewed feeling of independence and freedom in an atmosphere of luxury and pampered comfort. Beautifully designed living quarters include efficiency units, one-and two-bedroom apartments and cottages. A full range of facilities offers both indoor and outdoor activities . Exclusive healthcare services with 51-bed persona care units offer private rooms in an assisted living setting ,and 120 -bed intermediate and skilled health center offers professional medical care. The Village Community center includes a dining ares, chapel, village store, bank, swimming pool, exercise room, workships and beauty and barber shop. Phoebe Berks Village does not discriminate according to race,color, ancestry, sex or national origin. It is a a Phoebe Devitt Homes community related to the United Church of Christ.

There are many attractions in the Berks Co. area. Gruber's Wagon Works off Rt. 183 N. of Reading, Conrad Weiser's Homestead in Womelsdorf a short distance W. of the Hain's , recreational activities at Blue Marsh Dam also off Rt. 183 are also recommended also outlet stores in the area for which Reading is famous. The next Kershner Reunion will be held in Hagerstown, Md. in 1995.

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THE 20TH ANNUAL FAMILY REUNION CELEBRATION

was held Sunday, August 28th,1994 at Umbenhauer's Park, Bernville,Pa.

Route 183, North of Reading Airport. Program :Get acquainted Hour with Coffee and Dessert Registration began at 11:OO AM -Entertainment by Jolly Boombas, 12:OO-1:30 PM Business Meeting Conducted, White Elephant Sale,Bingo Games, Door Prizes, Soubeniers,Hot and Cold Food, Soup, Sandwiches and Drinks available.After 3:OO PM all attending guests are invited to Ed Stoudt's Beerfest at Adamstown, Pa.Men and Women's Apron Contest- Prizes for creative design-Must wear Apron. Contact Person:Mrs Beulah Stoudt Follmer, 46 West Broad StreetShillington Pa. 19607;or Phone 610-777-481

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1 ALBERT KARSHNER b: November 20, 1879 in HOCKING COUNTY,OHIO d: January 1, 1957 in GREEN SUMMIT CEM. ADELPHI OHIO

. +ELIZABETH (HAYNES) KARSHNER b: February 8, 1882 m: February 21, 1901 in HOCKING COUNTY,OHIO d: March 1957 in GREEN SUMMIT CEM. ADELPHI,OHIO Father: RANSFORD "RANC" HAYNES Mother: MARY "KATE" (HUTCHESON) HAYNES

.... 2 MAURICE KARSHNER b: April 3, 1903 d: February 27, 1976 in GREEN SUMMIT CEM. ADELPHI,OHIO

.... +DOROTHY (WEAVER)KARSHNER Father: Mother:

.... 3 DARLENE KARSHNER

.... 2 RUTH (KARSHNER) BLACK b: September 23, 1901 d: 1981 in GREEN SUMMIT CEM. ADELPHI,OHIO ROSS CO.

.... +MILLARD L. BLACK b: 1902 d: 1982 Father: ALVA C. BLACK Mother: LULU MAE (BUTTLER) BLACK

.... 3 DONALD E. BLACK b: 1921 d: 1965

.... 3 BABY BLACK

.... 2 PAUL LOWELL KARSHNER b: October 7, 1905 in SALT CREEK TWP.HOCKING COUNTY,OHIO d: September 13, 1990 in FAIRVIEW CEM. R#180 ROCKBRIDGE,OHIO

.... +MARIE (EDWARDS) KARSHNER b: August 1, 1911 in HOCKING COUNTY,OHIO m: August 17, 1929 in LOGAN ,OHIO Father: WILLIAM WESLEY EDWARDS Mother: SARAH"ELIZABETH" (ELICK) EDWARDS

.... 3 MARLENE JOANN(KARSHNER) THOMPSON/ RIDDLE b: March 18, 1930 in SALT CREEK TWP. HOCKING CO.OH.

.... +ROBERT J.THOMPSON b: February 18, 1923 m: August 9, 1947 Father: CHARLES "CHARLIE" THOMPSON Mother: HELENA A. THOMPSON

.... *2nd spouse of MARLENE JOANN(KARSHNER) THOMPSON/ RIDDLE:

.... +DALE RIDDLE m: September 19, 1991 Father: Mother:

.... 3 PAUL LOWELL KARSHNER JR. b: October 3, 1931 in SALT CREEK TWP. HOCKING CO.OHIO d: November 14, 1970

.... +JOAN (CAIN) KARSHNER b: June 29, 1932 m: October 3, 1952 Father: Mother:

.... 4 PAUL KARSHNER III b: November 12, 1957

.... +KIMBERLY G. (GEORGE) KARSHNER m: October 15, 1957 Father: Mother:

.... 5 PAUL L. KARSHNER IV b: December 21, 1988

.... 5 ZACHERY T. KARSHNER b: March 10, 1991

.... 4 ROBYN KAY KARSHNER b: May 16, 1955 in STILL BORN d: May 16, 1955

.... 3 EILEEN ELIZABETH (KARSHNER) NIHISER b: February 17, 1936 in SALT CREEK TWP. HOCKING CO. OH

.... +HAROLD "SAM" NIHISER II b: February 3, 1930 Father: Mother:

.... 4 HAROLD NIHISER III b: January 1, 1955

.... 4 SCOTT NIHISER b: November 25, 1956 d: April 12, 1971 in HOCKING COUNTY,OHIO

.... 4 MAX NIHISER b: August 27, 1961

.... 4 JOHN NIHISER b: July 9, 1964

.... 3 JOYCE (KARSHNER) GLENN b: November 24, 1942 in SALT CREEK TWP. HOCKING CO.OH.

.... +RODERICK E. GLENN b: July 7, 1940 m: March 3, 1962 Father: Mother:

.... 4 RORY ANN (GLENN) GLOYD b: December 28, 1962

.... +JERRY DEAN GLOYD m: February 22, 1992 Father: Mother:

.... 4 BLAINE ERIC GLENN b: May 28, 1967

.... +LANNA I. (JOHNSON) GLENN m: May 9, 1992 Father: Mother:

.... 2 ALICE (KARSHNER) AZBELL b: August 16, 1909 in HOCKING COUNTY,OHIO SALT CREEK TWP. d: April 21, 1992 in HOCKING COUNTY,OHIO SALT CREEK TWP.

.... +DONALD E. "PETE" AZBELL b: April 4, 1915 in HOCKING COUNTY,OHIO LAUREL TWP. d: February 15, 1991 in HOCKING COUNTY,OHIO SALT CREEK TWP. Father: LEE AZBELL Mother: LETTIE (FOX) AZBELL

.... 3 LARRY E. AZBELL b: December 6, 1943

.... 3 JERRY J. AZBELL b: January 19, 1945 d: December 1, 1991 in GREEN SUMMIT CEM. ADELPHI,OHIO

.... 3 BETTY LOU AZBELL b: January 19, 1945 d: January 19, 1945

.... 2 ALBERT KARSHNER b: October 18, 1920 in HOCKING COUNTY,OHIO

.... +DOROTHY LOUISE (TURNER) KARSHNER b: June 28, 1928 in VINTON COUNTY,OHIO m: February 28, 1948 in GREENUP ,KENTUCKY Father: Mother:

.... 3 ALLEN EDWARD KARSHNER b: October 2, 1966 in COLUMBUS,OHIO FRANKLIN COUNTY/UNIVERSITY HOSP.

.... +SUSAN (GAINS) KARSHNER m: August 4, 1989 Father: DONALD GAINS Mother: MARY GAINS

.... 4 HARLEIGH MARIE KARSHNER b: June 1, 1990 in CHILLICOTHE,OHIO/ ROSS COUNTY MEDICAL CENTER

Post Office at Pineville(Now Haynes) Ohio below Laurelville

This interesting article was published before 1883

PINEVILLE Post Office is the only post office with the township tha is situated North of its center, near the confluence of 2 streams. Big Pine and Salt Creek. Established 1871,when D.L. Davis who has held the office continuously up to the present time, was appointed Post Master. For a few years the office went by the name of Pineville, but it was changed to Haynes P.O. being in the midst of the Haynes neighborhood.

The stores,2 in number, are country stores, there being no village within its limits. The first one, now being kept by M. D. Davis was established as early as 1840 by Reuben Wise. The other situated at the junction of Salt Creek and Pike Run roads built and started by Joseph Poling in 1875. This store is at present owned by Mrs Maggie Poling.

Although as yet not very greatly advanced in business thrifts of a long settled community, yet the people of this township have in prospective. A railroad through Salt Creek Valley, which has been surveyed and already partially graded. This will pass through the township from N.W. to S. E. A little North of its center. A new Post Office to be kept in the Poling store has also been provided for,and expects to be in business July 1, 1883.

Township officers for Salt Creek at present are Justices Daniel L. Davis, Lewis Neace, and Benjamine Stephenson;.Treasurer: Nelson Karshner; Clerk J.C. Butler:Justices of the Peace D. L. Davis and William Kennedy: Constables, S. Robinson and Charles Davis.

usband: ALBERT KARSHNER

Born: November 20, 1879 in: HOCKING COUNTY,OHIO
arried: February 21, 1901 in: HOCKING COUNTY,OHIO
Died: January 1, 1957 in: GREEN SUMMIT CEM. ADELPHI OHIO
Father: NELSON KARSHNER I
Mother: ANNA (HOSLER) KARSHNER

Wife: ELIZABETH (HAYNES) KARSHNER

Born: February 8, 1882
Died: March 1957 in: GREEN SUMMIT CEM. ADELPHI,OHIO
Father: RANSFORD "RANC" HAYNES
Mother: MARY "KATE" (HUTCHESON) HAYNES

CHILDREN

Name: MAURICE KARSHNER
Born: April 3, 1903
Died: February 27, 1976 in: GREEN SUMMIT CEM. ADELPHI,OHIO
Spouse: DOROTHY (WEAVER)KARSHNER

Name: RUTH (KARSHNER) BLACK
Born: September 23, 1901
Died: 1981 in: GREEN SUMMIT CEM. ADELPHI,OHIO ROSS CO.
Spouse: MILLARD L. BLACK

Name: PAUL LOWELL KARSHNER
Born: October 7, 1905 in: SALT CREEK TWP.HOCKING COUNTY,OHIO
Married: August 17, 1929 in: LOGAN ,OHIO
Died: September 13, 1990 in: FAIRVIEW CEM. R#180 ROCKBRIDGE,OHIO
Spouse: MARIE (EDWARDS) KARSHNER

Name: ALICE (KARSHNER) AZBELL
Born: August 16, 1909 in: HOCKING COUNTY,OHIO SALT CREEK TWP.
Died: April 21, 1992 in: HOCKING COUNTY,OHIO SALT CREEK TWP.
Spouse: DONALD E. "PETE" AZBELL

Name: ALBERT KARSHNER
Born: October 18, 1920 in: HOCKING COUNTY,OHIO
Married: February 28, 1948 in: GREENUP ,KENTUCKY
Spouse: DOROTHY LOUISE (TURNER) KARSHNER

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OBITUARIES OF OUR LOVED ONES

To the Families of David and Marlene Schultz we offer our prayers and sympathy .

Robert Dale Schultz

Robert Dale Schultz,76,of Goose Creek Road, South Bloomingville,died July 26, 1994, at Hocking Valley Medical Center.

He was born Jan. 4, 1918 in Lima. The son of Clarence Donald and Teressa E. (Schaal) Schultz. He retired from the Hocking Hills State Park in 1980. On March 14, 1937,he married Nora Myrtle Eveland,who died March 10,1993. On Jan15, 1994, he married Hilda Smith who survives.

Also surviving are sons and daughter-in-law,John D. and Phyllis Schultz of Circleville,David D. and Marlene Schultz of Laurelville;daughters and sons-in-law, Belva and Lawrence Pritchard of Circleville, Devona and Bill Kneece and Rita and Mike McNichols,all of S. Bloomingville;sisters Nell Macioci and Pauline Johnson, both of Lancaster,and Helen Ebert of Laurelville; 12 grandchildren;nine great-grandchildren; 16 great-grandchildren;one stepgreat-great-grandchild.

He also predeceased by borthers,Edgar,Jim, and Clarence;and sisters,Mary Allers and Lucille Shaw.

Funeral service will be at 2 p.m. Saturday at the Hill Funeral Home in Kingston with Rev. Paul Mercer officiating. Burial will be in Pine Grove Cemetery. Friends may call from 7- 9 P.M. Thursday,2-4 ,7-9 P.M. Friday at Hill's.

WALTER F. McCABE

Walter F. McCabe,76 of Laurelville died Aug. 16, 1994 at Berger Hospital .He was born Oct. 11, 1917,in Hocking County, the son of Fred and Maud (VanFossan) McCabe.He retired from the state highway department after 37 years and was a WWII Army veteran.On Nov. 17,1945,he married Ruth Mary (Crawford)who diedDec.29,1968 He was also predeceased by a brother Lloyd,and sister Florence.

He is survived by five children,Mary Jane (Don)Smallwood of Ashville,Marlene (David) Schultz,Richard(Gail)McCabe, David (Debbie)McCabe,all of Laurelville Connie McCabe of Adelphi;sister Isabelle Longstreth of Circleville;seven grand-children ;one great-grandson;one step-great-grandaughter.

Funeral service will be at 11 a.m.Friday at the Hill Funeral Home in Kingston. Rev.Terry Cavanaugh officiating. Burial with military honors in Green Summit Cem. Adelphi,Ohio

(These Families would be of the Lewis A. and Lennie (Karshner) Crawford line.)

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WEDDING BELLS

The Jacob & Mary Dunkelberger Line

Christopher T. Covey and Amy Lynn Davis were united in marriage Aug.6,1994 in Stow,Ohio.

(The elated Grandmother is Mrs Nellie Covey of Haviland,Ohio).

BIRTHS

David K.and Linda Luegring are the proud parents of a baby girl ,Audrie Christine Luegring Born May 4, 1994.Her brother Dustin James Luegring was born August 8,1992.

(Grandparents are Ken and Lorna Luegring of Ft. Wayne,Indiana)

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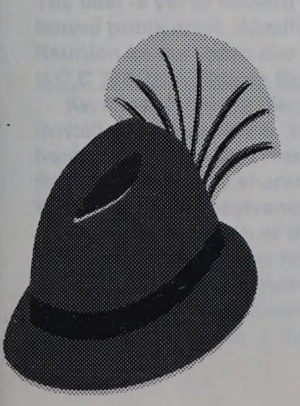

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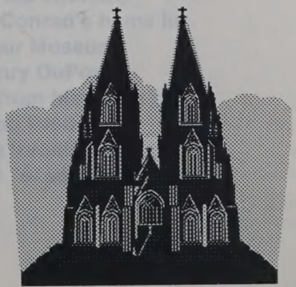

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OHIO KINFOLK NEWSLETTER
KARSHNER,KERSHNER, KIRSCHNER

WINTER 1994

Dear Kinfolk,

Christmas carols are playing,and loved ones are saying
"Merry Christmas, and the best to you in the new year";
May your hearts be bright with God's heavenly light,
As we praise Him ,and bring in the new year!

HAVE A WONDERFUL NEW YEAR !!! Karen

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Antiques, family history, and travel have played a big part in the year 1994. This year was the "Big 50" for me ,and I celebrated by traveling to the Eastern part of Pennsylvania to the "Home of our Ancestors"Berks County.

Traveling route 56 from Laurelville to Tarlton, Lancaster,Zanesville,Cambridge,Steubenville Ohio was a delightful and colorful experience. There were all kinds of yard sales,flea markets, antuque shops, and most of all the beauty of God's beautiful Autumn scenery! South on 18 to Route 218 in Pennsylvania the colors were deeper than Ohio's. Entering the Pennsylvania-West-Virginia border brought new excitement .(By this time it was pitch dark ,and no reservations were made ahead of time). Would you believe, my Co-pilot Carol Holbrook and I got lost... We ended up way off course,in the deep winding hills of a ghost town. At the bottom of this one particular curvey road were tall buildings,(very spooky I might add),and all I could do was drive and brake,and pray. As I said, it was pitch dark,no houses for miles around, and some of these back roads were mighty narrow. You would not believe how thankful I was to see Route 40 in the state of Maryland!!! (I guess October is the month for hair raising events,and believe me this is one vacation I'll never forget !!! Coming home we traveled the "Heritage Route" our ancestors traveled,(very impressive).

Douglasville,Pennsylvania, Hagerstown, Maryland, Concordville,Glen Mills, Delware ,Kutztown, Gettysburg, and Markleysburg, Pennsylvania were the rest stop for two weary travelers during this week of travel. Yard sales, and flea markets ,crafty businesses,delicious food, loads of laughter,beautiful scenery of mountains, rolling hills,and beautiful barns,houses ,and farmlands were a traveler's delight! The most breath-taking view was upon Sidling Mt. viewing Zion Church,The Mason Dixon Line,and the beautiful valley with so many colors ,and my heart did sing with praise to our Heavenly Father!

The purpose of my trip was to visit the Historic Zion Church near Windsor Castle, Pennsylvania . The secretary and sexton of the church gave us a welcomed tour, and related to us that the church Conrad Kershner was torn down when it was just a little over 100 years old. Conrad Kershner received a land grant, built and taught at the parocial school, was a minister of the church, and of course he was a captain in the 7th Co. of foot 3rd Bat. of Berks Co. Pa. Malitia. It was stated that during the war the church was used to store war supplies, and the worship services were held in Conrad Kershne's barn. The best is yet to come!!! The Zion Church has published a history of their church in a beautiful hard bound publication. Also!!! A video starting with it's beginning up to the present. (Come to the 1995 Reunion as the video and new information will be shared .) For more information please write: Zion U.C.C 770 Zion Church Rd. Hamburg, Pa. 19526.

Kershner relatives,George and Rachael Kline overwhelmed us with a Kershner hug and welcome invitation,to their home. They also arranged a visit with their neighbors the Hoffman's ,to tour one of the homes Conrad built. (This was more than I had ever dreamed, as I only wanted to visit the church.) Rachael graciously shared a copy of a 1959 Sunday Eagle article on the restoration of Conrad's home in Wernersville,Pennsylvania ,before and after pictures of the way it looks at the Winterthur Museum.

Another extension of this family historic tour was at Winterthur Delaware, at the Henry DuPont Museum. This museum houses the actual reconstructed rooms of Conrad Kershner II from his home in Wernersville, Pennsylvania, believed to have been built in 1755, by George Hehn.Conrad lived at Wernersville, Pennsylvania from,1772-`803,before moving to the Zion Church area. The tradition of the area as quoted by W. J. Kershner in his "History of St. John's(Hain's)Reformed Church "of Wernserville,

"The house was built by two German redemptioners,,a carpenter and a mason." On the prearranged tour, guide shared with us "it was at mealtime that Conrad would sit at the head of the table, and read the scripture to the family. This particular place of the room was called "God's Corner".This also is recorded in the published books of the museum). I was so thankful and honored to view the recreation of this period of time, where 7 genreations before me our family history was made. In the Kershner Kitchen, is a 6 foot high oven that was so big, it was said to have held 40 pies. If you wish to visit the Museum, make reservations ahead of time, and request the tour of the Kershner Rooms and be sure to tell them you are a relative and you will receive special attention. (I have also heard the Christmas tour is a special season that everyone enjoys at the Winterthur.

I also have a short video of the museum, and books containing the Kershner Rooms. You may view them at the "K" reuntion next year,second Sunday of October).
Information :Winterthur   Winterthur, Deleware 19735   Phone 1-800-448-3883

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2215 Millstream Road
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(717) 393-9745Membership:$25,00 yr. (Have a book :Year of Benjamine Eby:Pioneer Mennonite Leader in Ontario, Canada

(Also:the Eby Cemetery along the Hammer Creek in Elizabeth Twp. Lancaster, Co. Pa.)

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Berks county Genealogical Society
P.O. Box 305
Kutztown, Pa. 19530 (membership $20.00)
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Merry Christmas,

This year finds me in Ansbach and happier than I have been in years. I am teaching second grade at the elementary school here and finally a full fledged DODDs teacher with a transportation agreement, LOA and all. (For those of you who do not speak military-ese, that means I get all the benefits of a teacher who was hired in the states- they move my stuff, pay my rent and every other summer I get a trip home.) I was terrified when I found out I was going to have a primary class after years of the "big kids" but it is really a pleasant change. They are really sweet and they definitely smell better than the "hormones with feet" that I was used to. I may stay in primary for a while.

I really like Ansbach. I have a wonderful three bedroom apartment about five miles from school. It is in a tiny commuter community on the rail line into Nuremburg. It is so small that they don't even have a bakery! I have a super covered patio that I thoroughly enjoyed until we lost the sun for the year. (This far north it gets dark by 4:00 this time of year.) I know it will be great this spring. The countryside is beautiful. We are on a high plateau with lots of rolling fields and pine forests. Best of all it is just a few miles off the Romantic Road. This is the line of picturesque walled cities, castles and historic sites that runs from Aschaffenburg to Fussen. It is wonderful to be in the "Real" Germany again.

Mother moved into my house in Boone, NC this Fall and has spent most of time in the hospital. She fell, breaking her hip, and had to have a hip replacement. She has had an ICU vacation with blood clots in her lung. She is home now and told me today that she is returning the walker, so I guess she is doing fine.

Gyla is still in Ohio. She and her family live in Richmond Dale. They have two beautiful little girls, who I got better acquainted with this summer. Havala is now 4 and Brittiany is 3. They are expecting another in the spring. Both she and Dwight work in Chilicothe and seem to be getting their heads above water. I'm looking forward to seeing the babies again at Christmas time for a couple days. Of course, Gyla and Dwight, too.

Mathew is living with David in Fayetteville, NC. He is working as a mechanic and plans on starting to college after the first of the year. He is maturing and settling down and I know he will do fine. He keeps in touch. Even writes letters!! I hope to see Matt over Christmas, too.

It was really hard to leave Berlin after all the years there. I was back over Labor Day to visit friends and the American Community is a ghost town. They have converted the Outpost Theater into a museum to the Allied Occupation. It is very well done and quite interesting. One of the exhibits is a setting from the American Elementary School complete with desks and students' work. Checkpoint Charlie's MP building is in the outdoor display area. It sure brought back memories. The mop up crew are due to leave the 15th of December and then it will be officially over.

Well, I hope this letter fine you and yours well and happy. Until next time!

Love
Cherie

EIGHTEENTH ANNUAL

KERSHNER REUNION

' THE GERMANS ARE COMING !! '

Dear Kershner Kin:

We are sending our invitations early to give everyone ample time to plan for the EIGHTEENTH ANNUAL KERSHNER REUNION; on Sunday, May 28, 1995, at the City Hall in Butler, Mo., because Rolf and Ursel Kirschner from Langenselbold, Germany will be here and we hope you *can come.*

Please relay this information to all your family and kin. We know there are some, who we do not have on our mailing list, that would very much like to meet our COUSINS FROM GERMANY. *And all those who have met them will want to come and visit with them again.*

Rolf is a descendant from the same Enders Kirschner that we are descended from. He has helped us greatly in checking our ancestory and has sent a lot of information to several of us here in the states. He and Ursel have been to some of our Reunions; one in Kansas, one in Missouri and two in Maryland. We always love having them and know you will enjoy meeting them. They are "SUPER PEOPLE", they are "KERSHNERS", no matter how you spell it!

The City Hall will be open at 9:00 a.m. and registration will begin at 10:00. Dinner will be a carry-in at approximately 1:30 p.m. We can use the facilities until 5:30 p.m., so, come early and plan to stay late. Please bring any momentos, pictures, stories, etc. that you wish to share with us.

Make reservations early (this is alumni weekend) at:
Butler Inn, Jct. 52 & 71 Hwys, Butler, Mo. 64730 ph. 816-679-6183
Nelsons Motel, Bus. 71 Hwy So. " " " ph. 816-679-3144
Diehls Campground, Jct. Hwys 71 & F, Passaic, Mo. ph. 816-679-3313

If you need assistance in finding accomodations, if we can make reservations for you, or, if you need more information about any of the above please call (or write) one of the following:
Bob Kershner, Rt. 1, Box 181, Amsterdam, Mo. 64723 ph. 816-267-3687.
Bonnie Jackson, Rt. 2, Adrian, Mo. 64720 ph. 816-267-3419.
Naomi Kershner, 1008 Ruby Ave., Butler, Mo. 64730 ph. 816-679-5449.

If you have not yet met Rolf and Ursel we sincerely hope you can come to our Reunion. It will give you an opportunity to get to know them, and to meet many of your relatives from the 'Good old USA' that you have not met and probably did not know you have.

As the old saying goes, "COME SEE US, YOU MIGHT LIKE US!".

HAVE A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR.

Bob Kershner

P.S. If you are interested in getting together for dinner on Sat. May 27, 1995, please let us know, by May 10th, so we can make reservations. Thank you.

Husband: HAROLD "SAM" NIHISER II

Born: February 3, 1930 in:
Married: February 14, 1954 in:
Died: in:
Father: HAROLD NIHISER I
Mother:
Other Spouses:

Wife: EILEEN ELIZABETH (KARSHNER) NIHISER

Born: February 17, 1936 in: SALT CREEK TWP. HOCKING CO. OH
Died: in:
Father: PAUL LOWELL KARSHNER
Mother: DOROTHY "MARIE" (EDWARDS) KARSHNER
Other Spouses:

CHILDREN

1 M
Name: HAROLD NIHISER III
Born: January 1, 1955 in:
Married: August 14, 1982 in:
Died: in:
Spouse: TERI JANETTE (AWALT) NIHISER

2 M
Name: SCOTT NIHISER
Born: November 25, 1956 in:
Married: in:
Died: April 12, 1971 in: HOCKING COUNTY,OHIO
Spouse:

3 M
Name: MAX EUGENE NIHISER
Born: August 27, 1961 in:
Married: June 12, 1981 in:
Died: in:
Spouse: CHRISTINA ANN (STEWART) NIHISER

4 M
Name: JOHN JACOB NIHISER
Born: July 9, 1964 in:
Married: June 16, 1984 in:
Died: in:
Spouse: PAMELA ANN (EMERSON) NIHISER

5 F
Name: KATHLEEN ELIZABETH NIHISER
Born: August 15, 1970 in:
Married: in:
Died: in:
Spouse:

6 M
Name: KURT VAUGHN NIHISER
Born: August 2, 1974 in:
Married: in:
Died: in:
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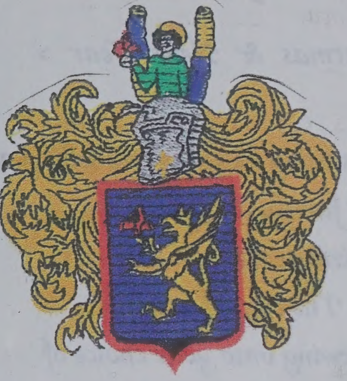

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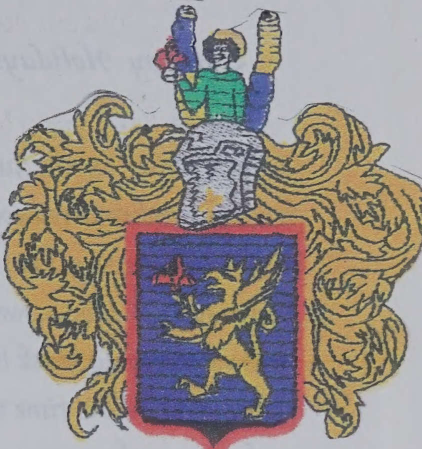

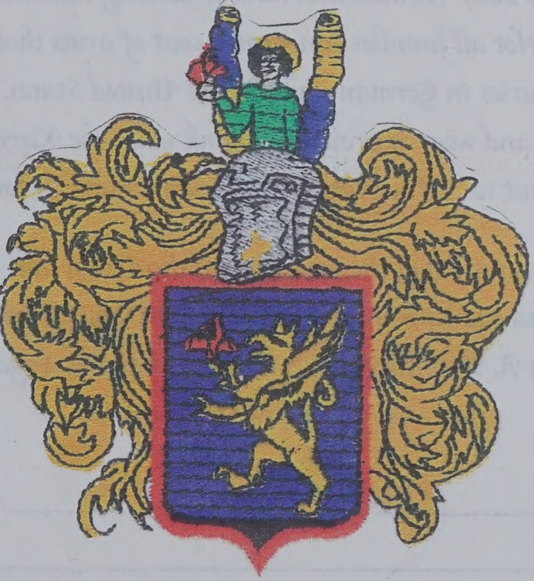

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Any donations for the reunion would be appreciated !

Kershner & Karshner Coat Of Arms

< Happy Holidays with a wonderful Christmas & News Year >

A fund raiser for the June 6, 2007 family reunion is being kicked off by selling a beautiful embroidered coat of arms that has been our family crest since the fourteenth century. We are offering three different sizes, a men's or women's blazer size, one for a sweater and a baseball hat size. The coat of arms are embroidered on a black background fabric for easy sewing onto your choice of clothing. There is time to receive them for this year's Christmas. Order today and support the 2007 reunion and have something that can be in your family for years to come. Not all families can wear a coat of arms that has represented the family for centuries in Germany and in the United States.

Order today and wear it proudly. Thank you , the Karshner Reunion Fund.
Make checks out to: " The Karshner Reunion Fund," (for Christmas A.S.A.P.)

A written explanation of the meanings of the design and the significance of it's colors and emblems will be included with your order. Send checks to:
Glenn A. Karshner 13521 Hildebrandt Rd. Logan, Oh. 43138
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When Buried Where Jackson Co, Ohio
When Married Where
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WIFE'S MAIDEN NAME Margaret Simpson - Margrett Sympson
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When Died April 15 1837 Where Jackson Co, Ohio
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Her Father Her Mother's Maiden Name

Nathan Brown
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Margaret Simpson
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	2 Jeremiah						Date To Elizabeth
	3 Henry					Jackson Co. Ohio oct 10, 1846	Date To Margaret
	4 Ruben						Date April 2, 1818 Ross Co, Ohio To Sarah Jones
	5 Nathan Freeman						Date Nov. 18, 1826 Gallia Co, Ohio To Anne D. Martin
	6 Mary						Date June 10, 1812 To Semuel G. Wiggins
	7 Margaret						Date To
	8 Zephaniah	Feb 25 1789			Vt	Tippecanue Ind. 1875	Date Pickaway Co, Ohio To Elizabeth Headley
	9 Joannah	1794				aug 12 1841	Date April 2, 1812 To John Reid
	10 Hester M Kelly	1796					Date Nov 8, 1815 Gallia Co, Ohio To Caleb Odie
	11 Isaac	1801			NY		Date To Barsheba Darling
	12 Violette	48 in 1850 1802			NY		Date To Charles Lott
	13 Simpson	1805				White Co, Ind. march 19, 1876	Date To Charlotte Beck
	14 Manerva	43 in 1850 1807			NY		Date Dec 15, 1836 Jackson Co, Oh To William Lott

Family Group Sheet, Form F3
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*If burial date is known on children and not death date, write burial date, prefix (Bur). Use reverse side for additional info.

The only stops on the railroad are farm houses. The train makes two trips a day, and stops wherever a passenger wants to get off. There is no regulation signal. The waving of a table cloth, a red flannel petticoat, a tin pan, or any visible article, will bring the train to a stop anywhere. Freight as well as passengers, is delivered at the doors of the road's patrons, but not until all charges are paid. The business of the Cincinnati, Hocking Valley and Huntington railroad is conducted on an exclusively cash basis, and the treasury of the company is Farmer Karshner's pant's pocket.

"Why did I call this railroad the Cincinnati, Hocking Valley and Huntington Railroad?" said farmer Karshner, in reply to the question. "Cause it has a good sound and makes our people feel as if they could just as well jump on the cars and stay there till they got most anywhere. Besides, I'm going to build branches to them places, one of these days." (End of Article)

The following appears in the Corporate Papers located in the files at th Ohio Historical Society, hand written and signed by John Karshner:

K & A Railroad

Built by John Karshner

10 miles of track
1 Baldwin made engine. American style locomotive, 4-4-0, popular during the Civil War.
One combination passenger car.
12 Trestles

K & A Revenue for Year 1891

Passenger Revenue	$2,880.00
Mail	465.00
Express	7,200.00
Total	$12,008.00

John Karshner sold the railroad to a group of businessmen May 17, 1893. They renamed the road to the Marietta, Hocking & Northern.

Same month, May 1893, when the road was sold, someone placed dynamite in the firebox of the locomotive. When it was fired up the explosion did considerable damage. Cost of repair was $1,000. Several trestles were also burned. Old Timers felt the equipment was sabotaged by those not wanting the railroad to reach the coal fields.

1895 the railroad was offered for sale at public auction due to loss in revenue. John Karshner purchased the railroad for $75,000, which was the only bid.

The railroad became unprofitable and was abandoned late in 1898. Early 1899 a wrecking firm in Cincinnati purchased the remains, consigning her iron bones to the scrap heap.

Recently while walking along the remains of the railroad bed with John Karshner, grandson of Railroad John, he was recalling stories told to him over the years. He tells how his father Philemon (1875 - 1935) had fun as a child of 10 helping the conductor collect tickets. How the town folks would board the train to attend weddings, church socials, and shop at Hallsville and Kingston. How one could get connection at Kingston on the N & W Railroad and go most places in the U.S.A.

While we were standing on the spot where the Adelphi Station once stood John pointed and said, "just over there is a filled-in well where the station got its water. I wonder what artifacts one would find if you would excavate it." What an interesting thought.

This year while John was enlarging the openings of two springs on his farm (previously Railroad John's) he discovered a pipe from both springs leading toward the railroad. Probably this was one of the water sources for the locomotive.

Even today you can still see much of the railroad grade from Adelphi to Kingston, all 12 trestles have long since disappeared. I'm certain the history-buffs on a clear, quiet day can still hear the whistle in the distance.

I would like to give a special thanks to John Karshner and his wife Donna for the much help given me on this article.

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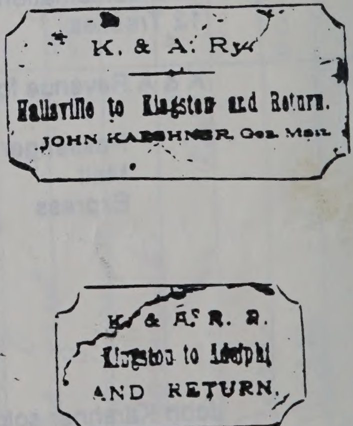


K. & A. Ry.

Hallsville to Kingston and Return.

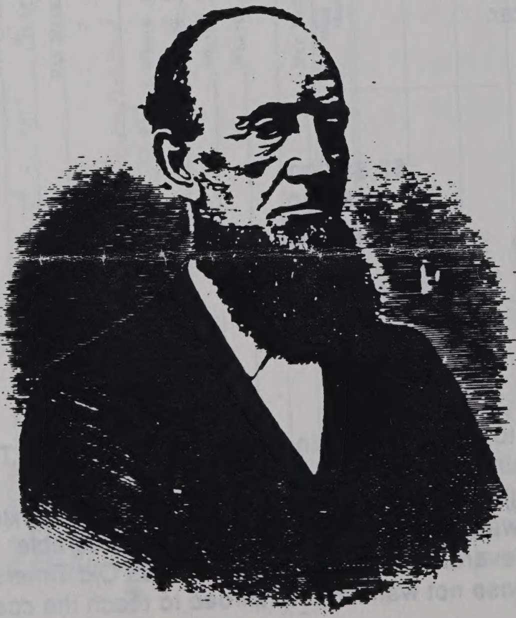
JOHN KARSHNER, Gen. Man.

K. & A. R. R.

Kingston to Adelphi

AND RETURN.

Passenger Tickets



John Karshner
"Railroad John"
1815-1909

The railroad was single-track. The engine, a red caboose, a passenger car, and a few freight cars were purchased from the Marietta, Hocking and Northern Railroad (now part of the B & O System). The lettering on the equipment was never changed. The purchase price was $1,800.00. This type locomotive was popular during the Civil War.

John Karshner was the leader of the organization. Robert Swinehart, brother-in-law, was legal adviser. John Hunsinger was the first engineer, William "Kid" Davis was the first fireman, Mr. Gridley was the first conductor, and Phio Harrisinger was the night watchman.

Later employees of the railroad were Russell Swinehart, and Philemon Karshner (son of the builder), conductors; Sam Coleman, Arch Hockley and Daniel Markel. The engineers were Tom Congrove, Mark Lutz; Charles Dent and Aaron Dukeman, firemen. The track workers were Clinton O'Daffer, John Garche and Martin A. Neff.

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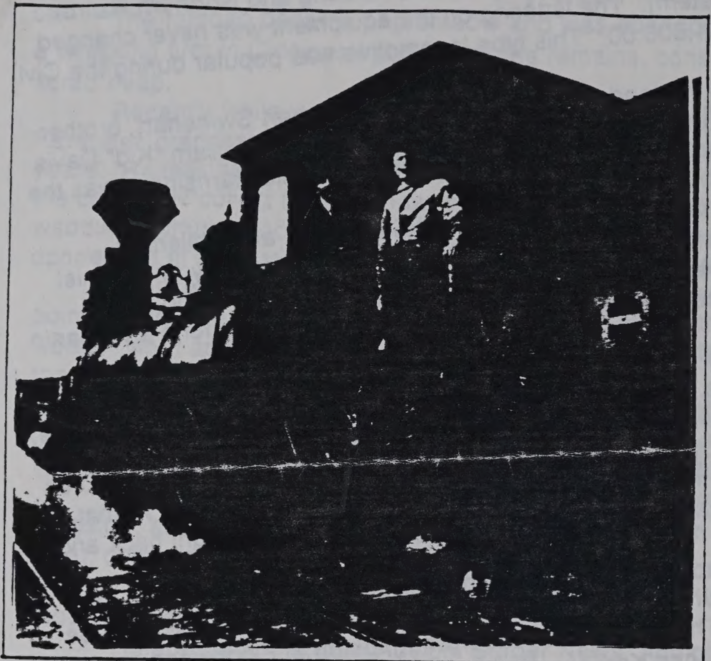
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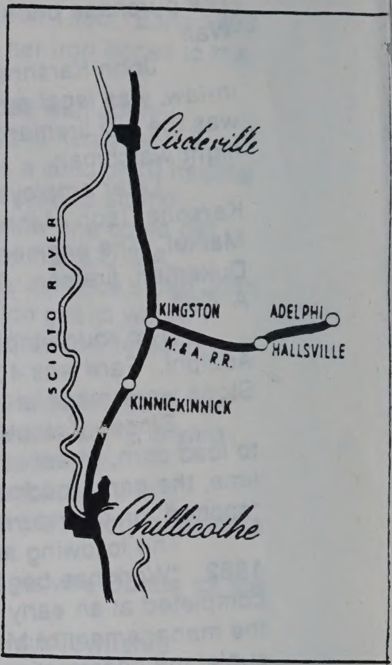

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Glenn A. Karshner
3748 Gairlock Dr.Columbus, Ohio 43228
(614) 875-7772

Grave Marker Update

A committee has been formed to recondition the grave marker of Jacob and Mary (Poly) Karshner. Over the years the inscription of their lives has eroded and is not legible. An aluminum plaque will be mounted on the existing grave marker with information about their lives. Money for the project has been raised by donations and the sell of ceramic tiles, water colors and a video, a tape about the lives of Daniel and Jacob and their families. We hope to have the plaque mounted by May 31, Memorial Day of this year.

How much money do we have ?

Thank you Marlene Riddle of Laurleville who has served as book keeper for the Karshner Reunion Fund from it's very comception. She reports that the balance in the checking account is $651.97. There is an outstanding debt for the amount of $139.19 for the updating of Daniel's marker, to be paid when the work is completed. At that time we will have $512.78 to spend on Jacob's and Poly's grave marker. Any donations to the Karshner Reunion Fund will be appreciated, not only for this project but future ones as well. Send checks to Glenn A. Karshner (above address) or Marleen Riddle P.O. Box 192 Laurelville, Ohio 43135-0192. Please make checks out to the Karshner Reunion Fund.

Items For Sell

Ceramic tiles, 4"x 6" inches, depicting Daniel's and Nancy's stone house. It was built in early 1830"s and is of stone construcktion. The art work was done by Rolland D. Karshner, a well known Ceramic artist. The price is $14.50 which includes shipping. A water color depicting Jacob"s and Poly's (Mary) first house in Ohio, built in 1807. Price is $14.50 which includes shipping. The art work was done by Suzanne L. Karshner of Columbus. A vedio showing the farms of both Daniel and Jacob, telling of their lives, also their wifes, children and military service. The vedio shows the grave site ceremony with the Ohio Natioal Guard giving a riffle salute at Daniel and Nancy's rededication servise at Old Lutherin Cemetry at Adelphi Ohio. Price $20.00 which inculdes shipping.

The Old Karshner Railroad

At reunions the question always asked is, "what do you know about the K&A Railroad"? This artical written by Rolland D. Karshner of Columbus, Ohio Is was well written and historicly currect, it should answer many of your questions. The artical first ran in issue 32292.

1998
Karshner News Letter

Issue 31598- Kirschner-Kershner- Karshner

97 Reunion

The 1997 Family Reunion held in Laurelville Ohio was attended by ninety six family members and friends. As in previous years the food was delicious and there was more than could be eaten. We were delighted in how many family members were there for their first reunion. The person traveling the furnest distance was Richard Kershner from Boise Idaho The couple attending that was married the longest were Ann and Frank Karshner from Columbus, celebrating their fifty ninth wedding anniversary. Marie Karshner from Rockbridge Ohio was the oldest family member present, she is 86 years young. They each received flowers or a plaque from the reunion committee.

We also had two sisters from Dunnville Ontario Canada, Margaret Rowe and Leah Ramsey. Their cousin Anne Pennington from Hazelwood, Missouri also attended the reunion, it was their first time at a reunion and the first time the Ohio Karshner Reunion had visitors from an other country. The three ladies are decedents of Jessie Karshner, whose father was Rufus (1833-1918, wife Delila Ebert (1841-1905), his father was Elijah (1803-1879) wife, Eliza Halderman and his father was Daniel, (1772-1852) wife Nancy Ann (Mary Davis), (1777-1845). Daniel was one of the first two brothers that settled in Ohio coming from Pennsylvania, Jacob was the other. We also had family members from the following states, Indiana, Kentucky, West Virginia and Wisconsin. Ohio was well represented from to many locations to mention.

98 Missouri & Ohio Reunions

Reunion news, the Kershner Reunion of Missouri will be held in Butler at the City Hall. on May the 24th. Rolf & Ursela Kirschner from Langenselbold, Germany will be attending. For those that have not meet them, Rolf & Ursela are our relatives of the descendants that stayed in Germany when the first Kirschner's came to the new world. For the family members planning to go on the trip to Germany in the year 2000, it would be a good opportunity to meet Rolf & Ursela and asked questions about Langenselbold.

For Missouri Reunion information, write either:

Bob & Lorraine Kershner, Rt. 1, Box 181, Amsterdam, Mo. 64730. Ph. (660) 267-3687
Naomi Kershner, 1008 Ruby Ave., Butler, Mo. 64730. Ph. (816) 679-5449
Bonnie Jackson, Rt. 2, Adrian, Mo. 64720. Ph. (660) 267-3419

The 1998 Ohio Karshner reunion will be held in Laurelville at the Community Center on Sunday October the 11th. For family members traveling a long distances, Monday the 12th is Columbus Day and Thanksgiving Day in Canada for those having the day off. Bring a food dish and a smile to share, meet new and old relatives and enjoy the food and fellowship. Hope to see you in October. 12:00 noon until ???

Germany Trip 2000.

The response to the trip to Germany in the summer of the year 2000 has been well received by over twenty five family members that plan on makeing the trip. It will be the first Family Reunion

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1895 the railroad was offered for sale at public auction due to loss in revenue. John Karshner purchased the railroad for $75,000, which was the only bid.

The railroad became unprofitable and was abandoned late in 1898. Early 1899 a wrecking firm in Cincinnati purchased the remains, consigning her iron bones to the scrap heap.

Recently while walking along the remains of the railroad bed with John Karshner, grandson of Railroad John, he was recalling stories told to him over the years. He tells how his father Philemon (1875 - 1935) had fun as a child of 10 helping the conductor collect tickets. How the town folks would board the train to attend weddings, church socials, and shop at Hallsville and Kingston. How one could get connection at Kingston on the N & W Railroad and go most places in the U.S.A.

While we were standing on the spot where the Adelphi Station once stood John pointed and said, "just over there is a filled-in well where the station got its water. I wonder what artifacts one would find if you would excavate it." What an interesting thought.

This year while John was enlarging the openings of two springs on his farm (previously Railroad John's) he discovered a pipe from both springs leading toward the railroad. Probably this was one of the water sources for the locomotive.

Even today you can still see much of the railroad grade from Adelphi to Kingston, all 12 trestles have long since disappeared. I'm certain the history-buffs on a clear, quiet day can still hear the whistle in the distance.

I would like to give a special thanks to John Karshner and his wife Donna for the much help given me on this article.

Reference for Article: Adelphi Border News, Adelphi Colerain Township Sesquicentennial 1954, Ohio Historical Society. Written by Rolland Karshner July 1992.

CIRCLEVILLE HAROLD NEWS ON 1991 REUNION

HISTORICAL CELEBRATION OF THE "KIRSCHNER, KERSHNER AND KARSHNER FAMILIES OF OHIO"

Laurelville hosted the first reunion of decendents of Conrad II and Catherine Reiser on Oct. 13, 1991 at the Church of God Pavilion. Eighty-four family members joined in the celebration. The autum decorated pavilion welcomed guests to a candle-light carry-in luncheon. The 12:30 p.m. luncheon table displayed a beautiful assortment of tastey dishes. An invocation was offered by Howard Hartley. A welcome and songs "Guardian Angel" and "Love Can Build a Bridge" were presented by Karen (Karshner) Hartley. Guest speaker was Nellie Covey of Haviland, who shared a genealogical chart, dating back to Enders Kirchner, 1570, in Herbstein, Germany. A business meeting was conducted by Glenn Karshner of Columbus.

The following families represented settlers of Ohio, 1807: Daniel and Mary (Davis) Kershner, Hocking County; Maria (Kerschner) and John Stout, Pickaway County; Jacob and Mary (Dunkelberger) Kerschner — Ross County.

These settlers of 1807 came from Berks County, Penn.

Guests attending the reunion and towns represented were: John and Donna Karshner of Adelphi; Walter and Ilene Mansell of Amanda; Molly Phillips of Chillicothe; Briget Baum and children Kyle, Kayle and Chelsey, Karen, Angela and Michael Greeno, Faye Karshner, James Denny Kitchen, Faye Taylor all Circleville; Glenn and Suzanne Karshner, Rolland Karshner, Frank and Ann Karshner, Trent Karshner, all of Columbus.

Tom and Nellie Covey of Haviland, Jodi Rife and Jerrod, Teresa Wiseman, Wayne F. Cryder of Kingston; Sandra Long of Logan; Bernice Sharp, Doris Leman, Eleanor Ruby Thomas Karshner, Dixie Devol, Dorothy Sanders, Anna (Karshner) Lytle of Lancaster.

Albert and Dorothy Karshner, Allen and Harleigh Karshner, Ryan Ross, Wilson K. Ross, Terry, Mary and Christopher Hartley, Merill Karshner, Larry Azbell, Marlene and Dale Riddle, Audrey Reid, Pauline Beglin, Burnell Karshner, Howard and Karen Hartley all of Laurelville; Carol Killman of Worthington.

Janeen Phillips of Chillicothe; Bob and Ann Nicholas of Zanesville; Phillip, Andrea, Jared, Jessica Kreschner of Marysville; Amy Finigan, Jackie Shaw, Zachary and Kateline Finigan of London; Out of state guests were, Bob ad Lorrain Kershner of Amsterdam, Mo.; Marion Ensing of Greenville, Michigan; Lorna and Ken Luegring, Ft. Wayne, Indiana.

We owe our deepest gratitude to all those who contributed to making our celebration a success; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Covey, Genealogical presentation; David Kent Spencer, artist sketch of the "Stone House" a home of Daniel Sr and John Karshner; Gene and Virginia Karshner, goard decorations; John P. and Donna Karshner, invitations, printing and decorating; Glen and Sue Kashner, signs, programs and printing; Pauline Karshner Beglin, addresses; Ines Karshner Spencer, addresses, donations and mailing; Burnell Karshner, mailing, donations and help; Howard Hartley, donations, mailing and help; Bill Karshner, "Kershner Kinfolk Publication" publicity and addresses; Denise Hartley, beautiful family record books

Regonition and awards:

Youngest girl present, Chelsey Baum; Youngest Boy, Christopher Hartley, Older "Young Man", Wilson K. Ross; Oldest "Young Lady", Anna (Karshner) Lytle; "Newly Weds", Dale and Marlene Riddle; couple married the longest, Frank and Anna Karshner, 53 years, Oct. 15, 19911 family traveled the farthest, Bob and Lorraine Kershner, Amsterdam, Mo.

If you would like to be on our mailing list, please contact Karen Harlety, 18409, St. Rt. 56, Laurelville, Ohio 43135. Phone (614) 332-9185.

salute our Desert Storm service men and women, those to acknowledge, Descendants of Daniel Karshner who cam to Ohio is 1807; Sgt. Larry P. Karshner, 1001 Field Service, Ohio Reserves; Sgt. Russell E. Hartley, T BTRY. 5/11 (REIN), lst Maine Div. FMF, Twenty Nine Palms, California.

92 REUNION NEWS

As you can tell from the above article, the 1991 Karshner reunion was very successful. Just a reminder to mark your calendar, October 11th, for the 1992 Karshner, Kershner, Kirschner reunion celebration to be held at the Laurelville Church of God Pavilion, Rt. 56, Laurelville, Ohio.

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John Karshner
"Railroad John"
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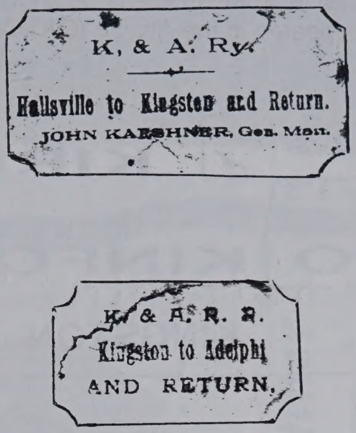

K, & A. Ry.

Hallsville to Kingston and Return.

JOHN KARSHNER, Gen. Man.

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Kingston to Adelphi

AND RETURN.

Passenger Tickets

The railroad was single-track. The engine, a red caboose, a passenger car, and a few freight cars were purchased from the Marietta, Hocking and Northern Railroad (now part of the B & O System). The lettering on the equipment was never changed. The purchase price was $1,800.00. This type locomotive was popular during the Civil War.

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BUILT 1830? BY DANIEL & SON JOHN KARSHNER
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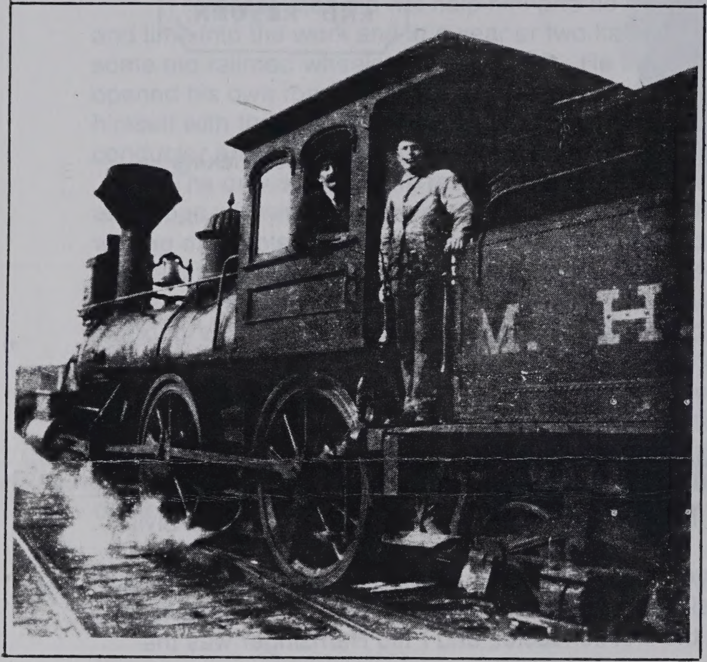

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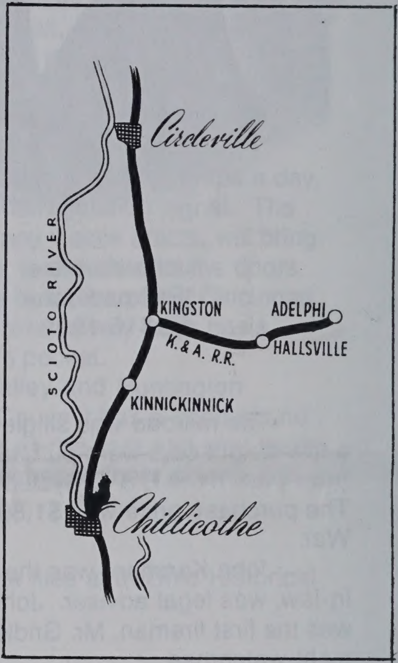

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FAMILY BUSINESS NEWS

Marlene (Karshner)Riddle has graciously consented to be our treasurer for our Family.We thank you Marlene!

Feb. 1992,our account stands as

$87.00	Reunion Collection
- 25.00	Pavilion Rental
62.00	
-23.20	Books of Stamps(4)
38.00	
+11.20	Donations
50.00	Balance

THANKS FOR YOUR SUPPORT!!!

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FAMILY REUNIONS 1992

OCTOBER 11,1992*LAURELVILLE,OHIO
MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND *BUTLER MO.
PENNSYLVANIA LOCATION(TO BE ANNOUNCED)*LABOR DAY WEEKEND

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(QUERIES)

DO YOU HAVE A QUESTION ABOUT YOUR FAMILY TREE?SEND YOUR QUESTIONS TO KAREN(KARSHNER)HARTLEY)18409 S.R.56 LAURELVILLE,OHIO 43135

This letter was received Feb. 6,1992,From Edwin & Ruth Swayer
214 Plainfield Rd. West Lafayette,Ohio 43845.

Can your Help us solve this branch on the Family Tree?

Dear Karen,

Can you or someone in your group help me with the Karshner Family I am researching?

Daniel Karshner:His will was probated in Pickaway County 8 July 1880 naming his sons Emanuel&George A.and Grand children of George A. Doris, Clara & John.(I would like his parents and his wife's names.

GeorgeA. Karshner's first wife I believe was Elizabeth Karshner 1839-1876.This Elizabeth Karshner is buried at Reber Hill Cem. near John Karshner 1875-1923.This John Karshner was George A. Karshner's son. John was working at Boy's Industrial School at Lancaster when he was killed by one of the boys. George A. Karshner had a second wife Mary Marburger Sark Died 1908 Circleville,Ohio They were married 6 Nov. 1878 Pickaway Co. Ohio.(I do not know George A. Marburger's death date ,or where he is buried. His wife Mary Karshner Died 1908 and is buried in Reber Hill Cem. beside her first husband Isaac Sark.George Karshner's second wife Mary was my husband's Gr. Grandmother.

Thanks for any help.

Ruth Swayer

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DANIEL KARSHNER Born 1773 Berks Co. Penn Married Mary Davis before 1799

Who was Mary Davis? Who were her Father & Mother?When did she die, and where is she buried?She was the mother of Daniel Jr,Elijah and John Karshner. Nancy Ann Karshner(Daniel's wife mentioned in his will) What was her maiden name ,parents/?(Their children were Caroline, (Eleanor),and (Susannah)(Caroline married Thomas Spencer,Eleanore married James Spencer,Susannah married Christopher Holderman.

If there are any corrections,let us know,Please help us to solve these questions!!!!

Kinship Love,

Karen(Karshner) Hartley

KAREN(KARSHNER)HARTLEY

WELCOME TO THE FAMILY

Dwight and Gyla(Jordan)Heise
of Circleville,Ohio
are the parents of
BRITTAINY NOEL HEISE,
born Dec.21,1991
7-pound,7½ounce
Grandparents:David &Cheryl(Spencer)Jordan of Germany
Great-Grandmother Ines Spencer of Laurelville,Ohio
CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL!!!

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VOL. 2

OHIO KINFOLK NEWS LETTER

Vol 2 22992

Dear Kinfolk,

Thanks to all who participated in sharing ideas,materials information ,for this our second newsletter!

There are those who receive our newsletter who would like to know where our ancestors of 1807 settled in Ohio.I hope this information of maps will be of help.(Map on page 5)

In the "History of Ross & Hiland Counties Of Ohio",it states: "Conrad Karshner's son Jacob was born in Penn. in 1775:Jacob and his brother Daniel,came to Ohio in 1807,and settled near Adelphi,Ross County".Jacob entered the west half of section one,in Colerain township,while Daniel settled in the Salt Creek Valley,in which is now Hocking County. They both served in the war of 1812. (THIS IS ONLY A PORTION OF THE ARTICLE)

TOMBSTONE INFORMATION AND HISTORY

Our cousin,Miss Helen Mettler of Chillicothe,Ohio,a descendant of Maria(Kershner) and Johannes Stoudt(our Pa. Family),sent us the papers to apply for Daniel Karshner's pension and Military records. Thanks Helen! This application was applied for 2/10/92,by Eugene Burnell Karshner,A Gt.Gt .Gt.Grandson of Daniels.We then must apply for his Government Monument.

This military Bronz marker size is 24"long12" wide and 3/4 " rise. Weight 18 pounds. We will be responsible for the base and upkeep.

Daniel Karshner Born Berks Co. PA. 1773,AND died May 7,1852, age 79 Yrs 6 Mo. ,is buried in the Old Luthern Cemetery.There is no longer a stone in his memory.The Old Luthern Cemetery is located in the S. part of Adelphi ,Ohio on Route 327.It is the oldest in Colerain Twp.It is in the extreme N.E. corner of Ross County,very close to Pickaway County,and only a short distance from Hocking Co. Burials are said to date back to 1804,but the oldest legible stone is dated 1807.This cemetery and Jerusalem or Stumpf Cemetery and the old Cemetery at Tarlton Ohio,all go back to the time of the first settlements along Salt Creek. This one,however is in poor condition and no longer used,while the other two are still in use and in good condition.(This information was taken from "Tombstone INscriptions" Colerain Township Ross County,Ohio")By the way this book was published 1987 ,and may be purchased from the Ross County Genealogical Society 270 S. Paint Street Chillicothe,Ohio 45601,Price $10.00($150 Mailing) (Ohio Residents add 6% Sales Tax)

This is only the beginning to replace and restore lettering on the early Family Stones. Does anyone have information of early plot records on the Old Luthern Cemetery in Adelphi?We need the proof of location where Daniel as well as his wife Nancy(mentioned in his will) are buried.

THREE CHEERS FOR YOU

William E. Kershner,publisher of "Kershner Kinfolk",gave our first Karshner,Kershner,Kirschner Reunion of Ohio a two page review. We appreciate Bill's sincere family devotion,as well as relatives all over the U.S.A. know about our celebration.Thanks Bill!

Ines (Karshner) Spencer also had an informative article published in the Oct.,Dec. 1991 edition of "Kershner Kinfolk""The Family of John Karshner Of Ohio".We are proud of you Ines!

Rufus Karshner- B. Dec 22, 1833
D. 1918
Wife: Delila Ebert-B. July 2, 1841
D. April 19, 1905

1.	Susan	B. Nov 10, 1859 D.
2.	Diana	B. Oct 2, 1861 D.
3.	Laura	B. Aug 30, 1863 D.
4.	Elza	B. July 29, 1865 D.
5.	Jessie	B. Sept 18, 1868 D.
6.	Frank	B. Aug 10,1869 D. 1937
7.	Elijah	B. June 27, 1872 D.
8.	Daisz	B. Aug 14, 1875 D.
9.	Bishop	B. Oct 19, 1878 D. 1967

Frank Karshner
B. Aug 10, 1869
D. 1937
Wife:Josie Davis B. 1879
D. 1946

Beulah Katherine	B. Sept 8,1899	D. Feb 14, 1974
Daisy Florence	B. June 24, 1900	D. July 1978
Glenn Davis	B. July 25, 1902	D. Nov 6, 1986
Noah	B. 1904	D. 18 mos. old
Helen	B. 1905	d. at birth
Evelyn	B. Aug 26,1908	
Grace Jeanette Marving	B. Mar 17, 1914	
Frank Monroe	B. Dec 16, 1916	
Dorothy Ellen	B. Dec 6, 1918	
(Ray Lloyd	B. June 30, 1921	D. Jan 11, 1988
(Roy (Ray's twin)	B. June 30, 1921	D. at birth
Fred Watson	B. June 3, 1923	D. Feb 21, 1982

Glenn Davis Karshner
B. July 25, 1902
D. Nov 6, 1986
Wife: Gertrude Louise Knapp
B. Feb 15, 1903
D. Dec 15, 1989

Donald Lee	B. Nov 16, 1926
Jerold Dale	B. June 16, 1928
Rolland David	B. Sept 3, 1930
Carole Sue	B. April 3, 1938
Glenn Alan	B. April 20, 1941

Glenn Alan Karshner
B. April 20, 1941
D.
Wife: Suzanne Jane Lucas
B.May 4 1942
D.

Kathleen Jane (Kathy)	B. July 27, 1971 D.
Mark Alan	B. Nov 29, 1974 D.

Hope you have found the"Ohio Kinfolk News letter" Both interesting and educational. Your support through the Fund Raiser(page 3) will be your respose for future News Letters, thank you.

If you have information you would like to shair with our cosins, write Karen Karshner Hartley, 18409 S.R. 56 Laureville, Ohio 43135

Zim Church Cemetery, Windsor Castle.

Conrad Kershner, Jr. had 9 children:

1. Conrad III- B. Sept 20, 1770, Heidelberg Twp., Berks Co., Pa.
D. May 31, 1850, buried Zion Church Cemetery, Berks Co.
M. Anna Maria Hix. M.April 8, 1742.
2. Daniel- B. 1772 or 1773, Heidelberg Twp., Berks Co., Pa.
D. May 7, 1852, Ross County, Ohio
M. Mary Davis; 2nd wife Nancy.
3. Jacob- B. April 27, 1775, Heidelberg Twp., Berks Co., Pa.
D. April 22, 1863, Adelphi, Ross Co., Ohio ??D.May 20,1865
M. Mary Magdaline Dunklebarger;B,3-11-1800,Pa.Jan 12,1778, Berks Co.
4. Anthony(Antioni)- B. April 4, 1777,Heidelberg Twp.,Berks Co., Pa.
D. September 30,1778.
5. Elizabeth- B. January 5, 1779, Heidelberg Twp., Berks Co., Pa.
D. May 24, 1849, Zion Church Cemetery.
M. Charles Shoemaker, November 22, 1801.
6. Catherine- B. April 3, 1781, Heidelberg Twp., Berks Co., Pa.
D. January 24, 1870.
M. Jacob Merkel
7. Maria (Mary)- B. May 25, 1784, Heidelberg Twp., Berks Co., Pa.
D. Ohio
M. John Stoudt

T (8. John "Big John"- B. February 27, 1789, Heidelberg Twp., Berks Co., Pa.
W (D. December 10, 1863
I (M. Catherine Hertz
N
S (9. Susannah- B. February 27,1789, Heidelberg Twp., Berks Co., Pa.
D. March 29, 1866
M. John Dreibelbis

(Daniel, Jacob, John, and Maria (Mary) came to Ohio about June 6, 1807.)

Daniel Karshner,Sr.B. 1772 or 1773, Berks Co,,Heidelberg Twp. Baptized Jan 10, 1773 Hains Church.
M. Mary Davis, Berks Co., Pa.
2nd wife ? Nancy Ann
B. 1777
D. Sept 5, 1845
M. In Berks Co., Pa.
D. May 7, 1852, Ross County, Ohio. Buried at Dresback (Old Luthern Cemetery), Ross Co., Hallsville, Ohio.
The family: brother Jacob, sister Mary-M.John Strout, came to Ohio from Berks Co., Pa. about June 6, 1807. They settled in Salt Creek Valley now called Hocking County, Ohio. Daniel Sr. served in the War of 1812. Represented the county in State Legislature in 1836. He was a member of the General Assembly of Ohio during the years of 1841-1842.

They had three children:

1. Daniel, Jr.- B. April 24, 1799, Berks Co., Pa.
D. Feb 20, 1876, Ross Co., Ohio
M. Rebecca ? B. March 14, 1801, Va. Died Nov 22,1874 Ross
Children:
1. Allan
2. Charles
3. Nelson
2. Elijah - B. 1803, Berks Co., Pa.
D. Feb 26, 1879, Hocking Co., Ohio
M. Eliza Halderman, B. Ohio
Children:
1. Rufus
2. Susannah
3. Rebecca
4. Angeline
5. Eliza
6. Caroline
7. John
3. John- B. Oct 4, 1806, Berks Co., Pa.
D. Nov 1, 1883
M. Elizabeth Spangler B. D.
M. Aug 7, 1834, Fairfield Co.
Elizabeth - daughter of Samuel Spangler also in State Legislature.

Conrad Kurschner Sr., the immigrant, left Windsor, now called Perry, and went Womelsdorf and that is where Captain Conrad Kershner,Jr. lived.

They had 13 children:
(Please remember "Perry twp. was created in 1821" - taken from Windsor twp.

1. Conrad, Jr. - B. August 1,1744,Windsor Twp.,Berks Co., Pa.
Baptized August 12, 1744 in the Moselm Church
D. Sept 13, 1813.
M. Catherine "Kate" Reiser.
2. Andon(Anthony) - B. July 1, 1746, Windsor Twp., Berks Co., Pa.
D. April 4, 1809, Buried - Bellman Church.
M. Philabena Ballman Mar 24,1772 - Centerport, Pa.
3. Elizabeth - B. November 1, 1747, Windsor twp., Berks Co., Pa.
D. Decenber 22,181?,Old North Hill Cemetery,west of Reading.
M. Thomas Reber. Their two sons came to Lancaster,(Fairfield Co.) Ohio in 1801. Peter purchased lot 15 in square eight and lot 5 in square six from Ebenezer Zane. Valentine, born 1777, settled in Royalton,(Fairfield Co.). Peter was the oldest, born 1772.
4. Peter - B. April 9, 1749, Windsor Twp., Berks Co., Pa.
D. April 18, 1812.
M. Catherine (Fenstermacher) Faust. D.April 18,1812 - Buried Ebenezer Church.
5. Mathias - B. July 22, 1751, Windsor Twp.,Berks Co.,Pa. D.Aug 27,1833.
M. Maddalena Faust Ca. 1780.
6. Phillabine - B. September 26, 1753,Windsor Twp., Berks Co., Pa.
D. March 22, 1837.
M. Michael Fenstermacker Oct 10, 1772.
7. Johannes(John) B. April 2, 1756, Windsor Twp., Berks Co., Pa.
D. Aug 19, 1810.
M. Sarah Reber.
8. Marin Margaretha - B. Feb 20,1757,Windsor Twp., Berks Co., Pa.
M. George Hinkel.
9. Jeremiah - B. August 10, 1758, Windsor twp., Berks Co., Pa.-
D. Jan 9,1826,buried Gluck cemetery,Fairfield Co.,Ohio.
M. Margaret ? Anna Gluck
10. John (George)-B. September 30, 1760. D. Ca. 1804.
Single to the year of 1792. (32 years old.)
M. Sarah Faust.
11. Martin - B. September 27, 1762,Windsor Twp., Berks Co., Pa.
D. 1813 1826.
M. Catherine ? (1) Lydia (2) Mary Mauser.
12. Jonathan - B. February 18, 1764, Windsor Twp., Berks Co., Pa.
D. June 7, 1836.
M. Catherine Alspaugh.
13. Mary Engel - B. About 1766.
M. George Bussard or Berssard.

Conrad Kershner, Jr. M.
B. August 1,1744,Windsor Twp., Berks Co., Pa. Baptized August 12,1744,Moselm Church, Pa.
M. 1765.
D. 1813. Buried at St.Johns(Hain) Reformed Church,Berks Co., Wernersville, Pa.
(Another account reads buried at _

Catherine "Kate" Reiser
B. 1745
D. 1840,buried at St Johns(Hain) Reformed Church.
Her parents:
John Reiser-Margaret Leah
B. 1717,Berne,Switzerland
D. 1793. Buried St. John(Hain) Reformed Church.

Conrad Kershner, Jr. was a Revolutionary War Soldier, Captain of the 7th Company of Foot, 3rd Battalion Militia, Berks Co., Pa. He had 200 men in his Company. Thomas Mifflin, executive council of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, issued to Conrad Kershner, Jr. his commission on April 21, 1788 and it was attested by Charles Biddle, Jr. of Philadelphia, Pa. to return October 23, 1788. He served from April 21, 1788 to Oct 23,1789.
George Werheirm, Lieutenant
Josh Lerch, Sergeant

Johann Conrad Kurschner M. Maria ?

B. Germany
They were Hessens
Their son:
1. Johannes Conrad - B. Nov 28, 1693, Selbtold, Hesse, Germany. Today Langenselbold near Frankfurt.
(Not known if there were other children.)

Johannes Conrad Kirschner
B. Nov 28, 1693, Selbtold, Hesse, Germany
D. August 28, 1765, buried at Zion Cemetery, Berks Co., Hamberg, Pa.

Gertrudt Faust
B. 1683, Germany
D. April 6, 1786, Berks Co.

Johannes arrived in America with his wife and two sons August 27, 1733 on the ship "Elizabeth of London", captain - Edward Lee, Jr. from Rotterdam, Holland out of Dover England. They were naturalized the same day by Lt. Governor Patrick Gordon in Philadelphia, Pa. The family church membership are recorded in the Reformed Church of Langenselbold, Hesse, Germany. They settled near Hains Church, Lancaster County, now called Berks County, Pennsylvania. (Berks County was formed in 1752 from the counties of Lancaster, Chester and Philadelphia.)
They had two children:
1. Conrad - B. Sept 15, 1717, Selbold, Hesse, Germany. Died April 21, 1791.
2. Joh Georg - B. 1721, Hesse, Germany, died before Sept 12, 1768.

Conrad Kirchner, Sr. M. Catherine "Kate" Bek

B. September 15, 1717, Selbold, Hesse, Germany.
Baptized in the Moselm Church (see page 9).
M. About 1743
D. April 21, 1791, buried at Zion Union Church, Perry Twp., Berks Co., Pa. 12th row, 3rd stone at south end of cemetery. The cemetery is located between Shoemakersville and Windsor Castle one mile east of Route 122. He is said to be buried about 8 graves to the right of his father.

B. June 6, 1723
Buried Zion Union Church Twp, Berks Co., Pa.
Her parents:
Matthias Bek - Ingel
1694-1769 1696-1789
The Beks arrived in America September 28, 1733 on the Brigadoon "Richmond & Elizabeth", - Chris Clymer, Philadelphia Rotterdam, out of Plymouth, England.

His marker is in German:

HEIR RUHET
DER
LLEB VON CONRAD
KIRSCHNER
GEBORE D 15 Sept
1717 CR STARB DEN
21 TEN APRILL 1791
ALTOR 73 JAHR 7 mo
UND 6 TAG LEICHEN
TEX NAHEMIA
CAP 13 - VERSE 29

English:
Here lies the body of
Conrad Kerschner, born
15th of Sept 1717.
Died the 21st of April 1791
Age 73, 7 mo and 6 days
text Jeremiah

Conrad Kerschner, Sr. was a pioneer of Berks Co., Pennsylvania. It appears that he first located west of the Schuylkill River in Bern twp., but about the time of the organization of Berks County (formed in 1752 from Counties of Lancaster, Chester and Philadelphia) he settled in the territory East of the river, near Shoemaker and Hamberg, in Windsor township now called Perry, where he paid a federal tax of 16 pound in 1759.

The following year the purpose of building a church in the neighborhood was negated and Conrad Kerschner, Dr. made the journey to Philadelphia to seek land from the authorities for church purposes. He got a grant of land of acres and on this land was built the first Zion Church in 1761, Hamburg, Pa.

Deed of the farm, covered 250 acres in 1744, in Conrad Kerschner, Sr. name and after his death, Conrad Kerschner, Jr. got the farm; then after his death the farm went to Conrad III.

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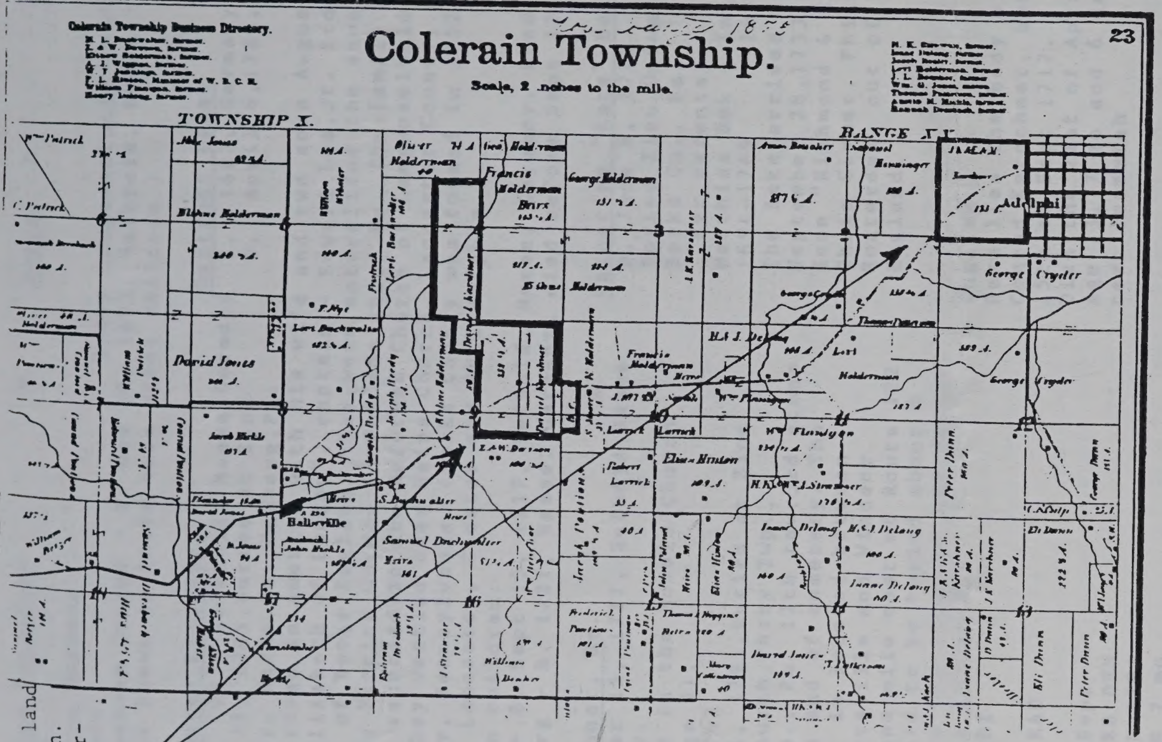
JACOB KIRSHNER ENTERED THE WEST HALF of SECTION ONE (REFERENCE INFORMATION History of Ross & Highland County, Ohio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Colerain Township Business Directory.
Colerain Township.
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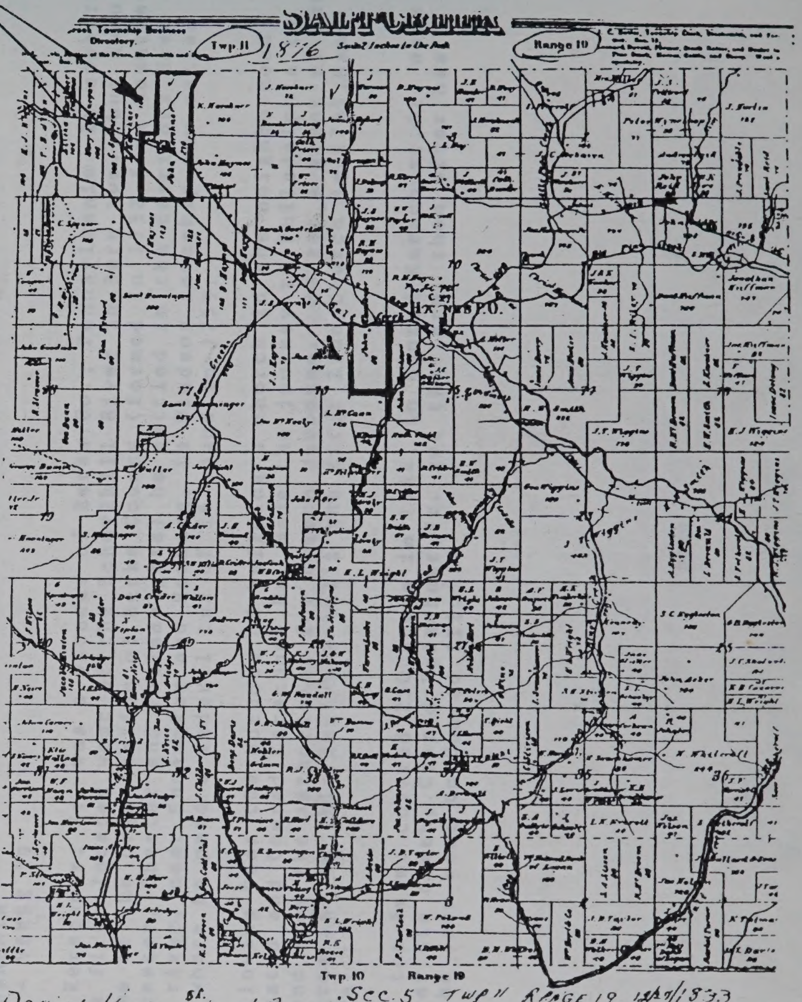
Jacob's original land Outlined as shown. (land shows owner-ship in 1875).

Daniel's Original Land outlined. (Map shows owner-ship in 1876).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Township Business Directory.
Twp 11
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Twp 10
Range 19

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Daniel Kirshner ^Sr. Land Grant Sec. 16 - Twp 11 - Range 19 1818

Show his military service dates and rank (which is on the way from Washington). Represented the county in the State Legislature in 1836. He was also a member of the General Assembly of Ohio during the years 1841-1842."

The government will give a percentage toward this,but the balance of money will be supplied through donation or through this Fund Raiser.

Daniel was certainly a visionary and a true pioneer;he hooked up his ox-drawn Conestoga wagon, loaded his wife and family and gave all his descendants a "new life in Ohio." As his descendants, it is only proper we support this project and give just acknowledgement to him and Nancy Ann...not only for ourselves but also for future descendants.

Thank you for your support!

Glenn Karshner

OLD WORLD NEWS

BY INES (KARSHNER) SPENCER

Greetings from Pretty Salt Creek Valley,

It was with much regret that I had to miss our first Karshner Reunion last October.The next time I'll be sure to plan my travel schedule with more care.

At the time of the reunion my grand-daughter and I were in Berlin visiting her parents,my daughter,son-in-law and grandson,We made the trip especially to let them get to know their first grandchild,an adorable little ten month old.This was an enjoyable time for all of us!She loved all the special attention she received from her "OMA"and "OPA"!One of their regrets is that they are not getting to watch the baby grow and mature.

It had been a year since my last visit to Berlin and in the Eastern sector it was encouraging to see all the construction and restoration being done. That was something you saw little of before the wall came down.Berlin is a"great city"full of History,and Beauty! A way to appreciate the size of Berlin is that it is larger than New York City in area.I can accomodate cities the size of Cleveland, Boston,Atlanta ,and San Francisco with room left over.

Before leaving for Ohio we made a trip down to the Stuttgart area,where they were stationed when my grand-daughter was young. They had lived in Goeppingen,and the old Base and housing area were almost empty. It was a reminder that by 1994 the "allied forces" will be out of Germany(It just didn't look like home to them any longer.)

Our last visit was to be to Langenselbold Germany,to visit with "Cousin Rolf and Ersel".We had intended to spend a couple of hours and then go into Frankfort in preparation for our flight home the next day.Not only did we visit,we also had a tour of the town.We had a Great dinner with them(The potato dumplings were special),and spent the night in their Lovely home!Our family represented four generations ,and our little girl(Havala)was the youngest cousin they had entertained.(The warm reception and caring made it the("High-Light") of our vacation.

In January,Rolf and Ersel attend Green Week ,in Berlin.They were able to spend their stay with my family."Green Week" is a World Trade Fair,for agricultural products.Almost any fruit,vegetable,flower,food wines or beers could have been found.One exhibit from the U.S.A. had TEX-MEX foods.another ,New England clam chowder Some of the fruits from S. America and Africa were especially exotic! This was my family"s first attendance,but they plan to go next year.

P.S.(Don't forget our next reunion Oct11,1992,in Laurelville,Ohio. Let's try to make it an even bigger affair than last year.)

Sincerely,

Ines Spencer

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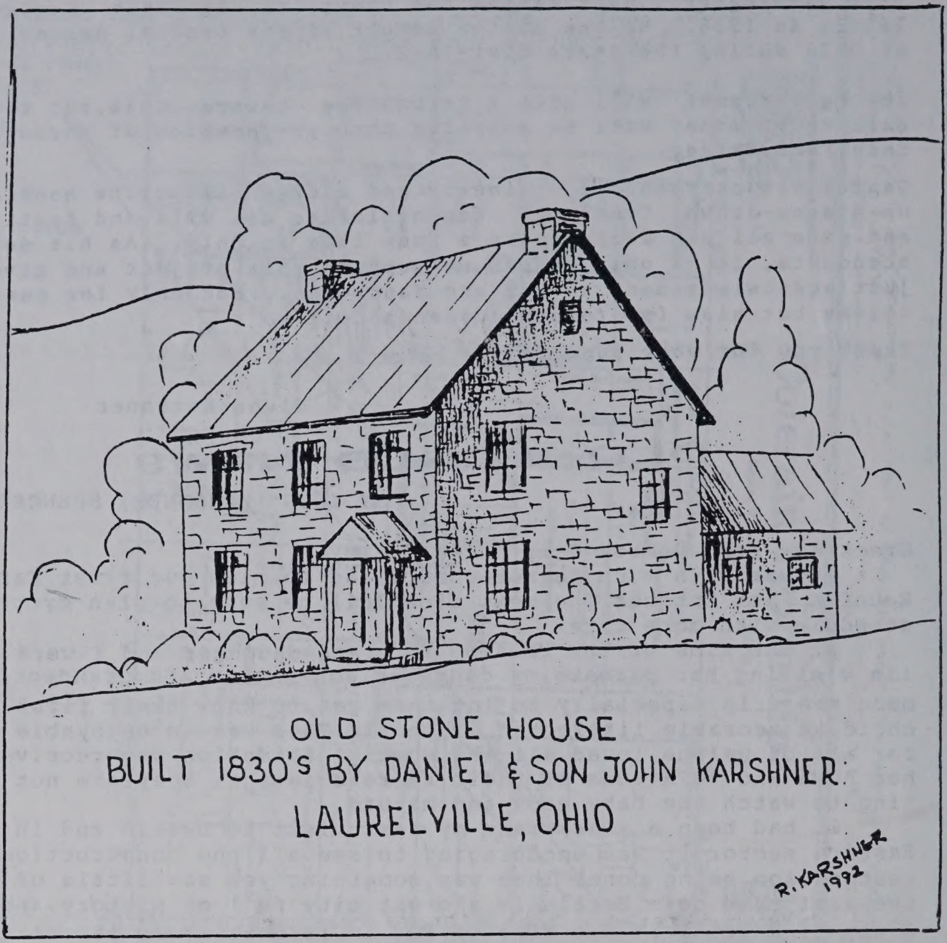
OLD STONE HOUSE
BUILT 1830'S BY DANIEL & SON JOHN KARSHNER
LAURELVILLE, OHIO

FUND RAISER

Good News! The decals have arrived, and we can offer for sale this decorative 6"x6" glazed ceramic tile with the "old stone house" on it. The artist's conception was done by a well known artist, Rolland D. Karshner. Rollie is also donating any profit and is charging only his cost of $2.50 each for decals, tile, firing and handling. This will allow us a profit of $10.00 each for the Fund Raiser. Thanks, Rollie!

Price	$12.50
Shipping	2.00
	$14.50 each

Make checks or money orders payable to "Karshner Reunion Fund."

Send to: Glenn A. Karshner
3748 Gairlock Drive
Columbus, Ohio 43228

The purpose of the Fund Raiser is to raise money for permanent grave markers, Newsletter expense, and future "Karshner Reunions." Full accountability and Fund disbursements will be presented during the business meeting for this year's "Karshner Reunion." Checking and Savings Accounts are with "Salt Creek Valley Bank, Laurelville, Ohio.

At the 1991 "Karshner Reunion" a suggestion was made to create a replacement grave marker fund..and to start with markers for Daniel Karshner Sr., 1772-1852, and his wife,. Nancy Ann, 1777-1845. Through the years the original sandstone markers have been either vandalized or misplaced.

Daniel was a veteran of The War of 1812 and is entitled to a "standard marker" by the Veterans Administration. We propose to incorporate more information on a larger marker, such as "Early Pioneer of Salt Creek Valley, now known as Hocking County. Arrived from Berks County, Pa. on June 6, 1807.

The novel Tschinque (T-chink-wa) is historical fiction, based on fact about the Kirschner families migration in 1733 to colonial Pennsylvania from Langenselbold, Germany. How they and many other early immigrants through diligence and hard work helped form The United States Of America. The grandchildren of these immigrants were the early pioneers who came to Chillicothe, on the Scioto River when Ohio was still a part of the Northwest Territory. Its characters are first generations Americans, children of patriots of the Revolutionary War. They experienced a sense of adventure traveling west over the Allegheny Mountains to homestead a wilderness that would become a part of the United States when Ohio became a state in 1803. The novel tells of this time in history and of these visionary people. The main character is Daniel Karshner, the story unfolds emphasizing his life and the lives of the people who crossed his path during this period of western expansionism. Daniel first came to Ohio in 1796 as one of the first settlers in Salt Creek Valley, now part of Hocking Country, Ohio. That first year he met and became friends with other early Ohioans, men like William Henry Harrison, Edward Tiffin, Nathaniel Massie, Duncan McArthur and Thomas Worthington. One friendship he made that first summer was with Tecumseh, Chief of the Shawnee. In happier days their path crossed many times at Old Man's Cave and Ash Cave in the Hockhocking hunting grounds. On different sides, their last meeting was as combatants during the battle of Fort Stephenson in the War of 1812. Daniel served as captain in the War of 1812, represented the county in the Ohio State Legislature in years 1836- 1837; he returned as a member of the General Assembly from 1841-1842, when construction was started on the present day capitol building in Columbus. He returned to the Ohio Legislature to be a persuading voice in that governing body for friend William Henry Harrison, who in 1841 became the ninth President of The United States Of America.

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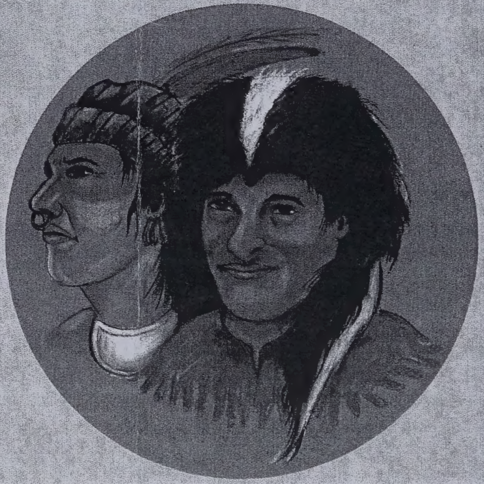

Glenn A. Karshner

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2007 Karshner Family Reunion
200th. Anniversary Settling in Ohio

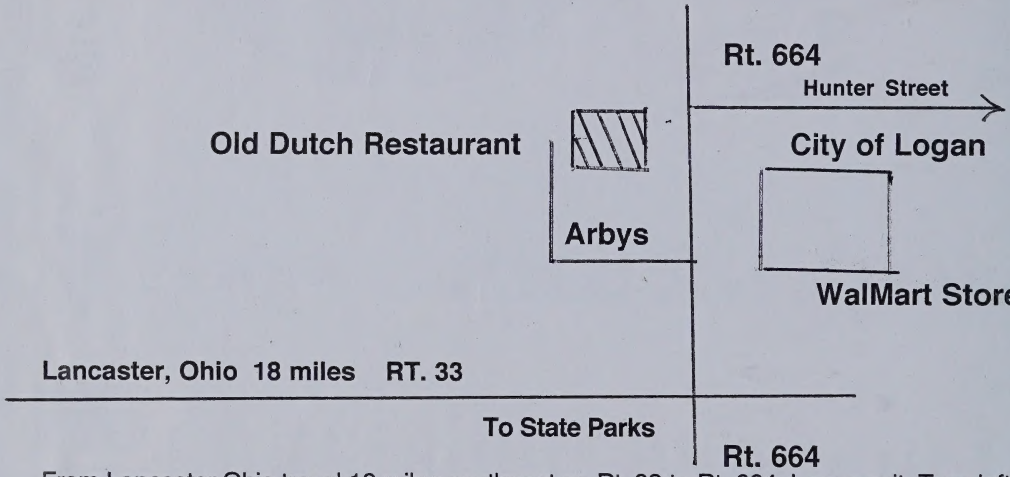
The reunion will be held at the Old Dutch Restaurant in Logan, Ohio starting at 12:00 p.m. The lunch menu will consist of salad, brosted chicken, mashed potatoes, sweet corn, glazed carrots, pasta primavera, baked ziti, assorted fruit, pies and drinks. Dining room rental and gratuity are included for a price of $16.50 per person, children $7.50.

Send checks to Glenn A. Karshner 13521 Hildebrandt Rd. Logan, Oh. 43138.

Or pay at the door.

Come and help us celebrate this special anniversary occasion

DIRECTIONS TO THE OLD DUTCH RESTAURANT



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Can't attend the Reunion
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Complete Record 14 page 290 Hocking County Common Pleas Court

May 20, 1880

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Susannah Hale, wife of Joseph H. Hale
Angeline Whisler, wife of Benjamin Whisler
Eliza Jane Kerschner, wife of Lewis M. Karshner
Caroline Stump, wife of Rufus Stump
John F. Kerschner
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Eliza Jane Kerschner - widow

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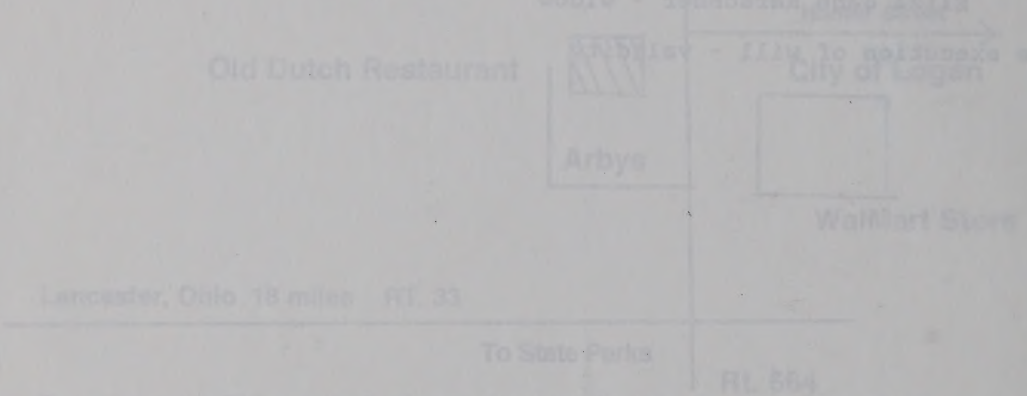

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21	Rev. R. A. Hitt. U. B. Minister.
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23	E. S. Hockman, Fire and Life Ins. Agent.
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OLLEVILLE DAILY HERALD

Sudden Death.

Judge and Mrs. Festus Walters received the sad news by telephone this morning that their daughter Miss Harriett, who was attending school at St. Mary's of the Springs, Columbus, had died of heart disease.

Harriett and her sister Alice had entered St. Mary's school last September, and during the holidays visited their parents. The deceased although of robust appearance has never been a very healthy child, but her recent illness was of short duration as she had only been ailing since yesterday and her condition was at no time considered alarming. Her brother, Barton Walters, left this morning for Columbus to visit his sister but she died before his arrival.

The deceased was the eldest daughter of Judge and Mrs. Walters, and was born in this city July 12th, 1881 being 14 years, 6 months and 21 days old at the time of her death. Her early education was received in our public schools.

The death of Harriett was a great shock to her parents, especially to her younger brothers and sister Alice, to whom she was quite devoted. The deceased was a member of St. Philip's Sunday school. Harriett leaves a kind and loving father and mother, one sister, five brothers besides a host of friends to mourn her loss.

Judge Walters and family have the heartfelt sympathy of a large circle of friends in this their hour of deep sorrow. The remains will arrive in this city this evening.

The funeral will occur Monday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

Elks—Opera Pinafore, Feb. 17 and 18.

An Old-Time One Ring Circus on the Stage.

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Friday, September 29th, 1922

Just Sleeping.

Word was flashed over the wires on Sunday morning announcing the death of Mrs. Susan Karshner, a well-respected citizen of Laurelville. Death occurred at 9 o'clock Sunday morning, September 24th. Mrs. Karshner had been ill for a little over a year and gradually grew worse, when but a few months ago, she realized that her sufferings had been caused from cancer of stomach and the ending of this beautiful life was near, and expressed herself as being prepared for the final summons. Mrs. Karshner was to ner neighbors and children all that could be asked of—a dutiful mother and friend.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday afternoon from the Presbyterian church, the same being crowded with sympathizing friends. Burial was made in Green Summitt cemetery, with the beautiful sunshine looking down upon the sleeping form of Mother. Services being conducted by her pastor, Rev. E. A. Snook.

Obituary.

Susan Delong Karshner, was born December 2nd, 1848. Died September 24th, 1922. Aged 73 years, 10 months and 6 days.

She was united in marriage to Samuel Karshner, June 7th, 1866. To this union was born six daughters and 2 sons. Ollie, wife of Henry Armstrong of New Holland, O., Alida, wife of D. B. Black of Kansas City, Mo., Hattie, wife of G. N. Dumm, Ray, and Edith, wife of Harry Ross of Laurelville, Phyllis, wife of Robert White of Columbus, O. Pearl and Dora, deceased.

Eighteen grand-children and great-grand-children survive her.

She united with the Presbyterian church of Laurelville and has been a regular and faithful member, and nothing but sickness keeping her from God's house of worship. Her life has been lived in this community, living on the farm until a few years ago, she moved to Laurelaille. She was a good neighbor, a kind and loving mother.

She also leaves one brother, Elijah Delong of Laurelville, one sister, Mrs. John Huffman and a host of friends to muorn her departure. Her work was finished, and the Master has called her home.

"A precious one from us has gone,
A voice we loved, is stilled;
A place is vacant in our homes,
Which never can be filled.
God in his wisdom has recalled,
The boon his love had given;
And though the body slumbers
here,
The soul is safe in Heaven."

Card of Thanks.

We take this opportunity to thank the neighbors and friends who have so kindly helped in these hours of deep sorrow.

The Children.

Adelphi Border News - ~~une~~ unknown

Laurelville Route 1.

Fire broke out in the lumber camp situated on S. B. Chambers' farm near the Fox school house, Friday last, and quite a lot of lumber and [illegible] were destroyed. The saw mill is owned by [illegible] Julien, who was all alone in the camp at the time of the fire. [illegible]

The [illegible] been [illegible] for Cli[illegible] their contract [illegible] mill property [illegible] Buena Vista [illegible]

Mrs. A. M. [illegible] dren, Vernon [illegible] making a three [illegible] relatives at Athens [illegible]

Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] visitors at Stoney [illegible]

Clark Ballor and [illegible] J. Defenbaugh of [illegible] callers at the [illegible] Mrs. Merrel Ba[illegible]

Cephas Wade [illegible]

[illegible] epidemic of [illegible] measles are abroad in this vicinity. Among the victims [illegible] Misses Mae H. Esther McClelland and Mrs. Herman Wolfe.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kane were visitors to Columbus Wednesday.

Walter Ashe has completed the basement for his new house. Steel brothers are the building contractors.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. McClelland and daughters visited Sunday at Williamsport, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Turney Mowery.

Mrs. A. A. Reichelderfer near Whisler was a pleasant visitor to the News office Saturday. She states that Mr. Reichelderfer had started to plant corn that day, 33 acres having been prepared for corn.

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DEAD IN THE ROAD.

Ja[illegible] Karshner Dies Suddenly [illegible]day Morning, After Taking Cows to Pasture.

Jacob Karshner, a life-long resident near Haynes, was in the best [illegible]lth Thursday, and made a [illegible] Laurelville for a load of [illegible]. Among the chores he [illegible] do each morning was to [illegible] cows to pasture up the [illegible] On his return this Friday [illegible], he dropped dead on the [illegible] the base of a large beech which it is thought he was [illegible] for when he was at[illegible] with paroxysm of the [illegible]

[illegible] was about 7:30 when he was [illegible] at the foot of the tree, [illegible] tight in his right hand a [illegible] he was wont to use when [illegible] the cows.

[illegible] funeral is announced for [illegible] Sunday afternoon from [illegible] Adelphi M. E. Church, Rev. [illegible] officiating. Interment in [illegible] Summitt.

[illegible]TFULLY ENTERTAINED.

[illegible] Ladies Aid of the Whisler [illegible] church was delightfully [illegible] Thursday, May 2. [illegible] of Mrs. Wilfred Bookwalter with Mrs. Clayton Hickle [illegible] Elizabeth Leaher as [illegible] The society [illegible]

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[illegible] was served. Visitors were Mrs. H. D. [illegible] daughter Ruth, Mrs. [illegible]long, and son Robert, [illegible]rtha Bookwalter, Miss [illegible]ter and Mrs. Edward [illegible] Chillicothe.

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[illegible] O., May 8.—Worry over the [illegible] her two sons who are [illegible] the army, is believed to be [illegible] of the suicide here of Mrs. [illegible] 47. The body was found [illegible] a clothesline in her room [illegible] husband, Samuel A. Gross.

[illegible] in France; Kills Self.

[illegible] O., May 8.—After re[illegible] a boat ride with his wife [illegible] old baby, Thomas M. Mar[illegible] off the top of his head with [illegible]. Worry over his son, who [illegible] Rainbow division, is sup[illegible] have been the cause.

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[illegible] the ladies [illegible] U. B. Church last Thursday afternoon. Eighteen members and [illegible] were present. An excellent patriotic program was rendered, which proved of much interest. Refreshments of ice cream, cake, coffee, candy and salted peanuts were served. All had a delightful time.

THE MARKETS

[illegible] at Chillicothe, Ohio.

Wheat	$2.05
Yellow Corn	1.25
White Corn	1.35
Spring Chickens	
Eggs	.32
Hens	22
Butter	35 to 40
Potatoes	75
Lard	25
Bacon	30

INGHAMS

Laurelville.

ALSTADT-LACER.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Alstadt were surprised to receive a long-distance message Sunday requesting their presence Monday evening at the wedding of their son, Clyde, to Miss Vida Lacer, which took place at the home of the bride's parents at Shelby, O. Of course the parents responded, and were delighted with their lovely daughter-in-law, who is a graduate nurse at Mt. Clemens, Mich., and a lady of high educational and musical attainments.

The wedding was attended only by relatives and a few close friends of the charming young bride. The groom wore his uniform, that of an officer in the government electrical hydroplane service. The usual congratulations and wedding supper followed, and next day the groom returned to his post at Detroit.

The host of friends attached to Clyde Alstadt are extending congratulations and best wishes. The groom is one of our popular, clean young men who deserves a world of love and happiness, and here it is to him and bride, may their cup be constantly overflowing.

COMPROMISED A SUIT.

[illegible] Armstrong had brought suit in the Pickaway Common Pleas [illegible] for damages against Edward Strous and Peter Drum. The case was to be heard last Friday, but the lawyers in the case got together and visited the premises where the supposed damage was created by water being turned onto Armstrong's land. Right on the spot the case was compromised, and the hearing in court averted.

Attorneys Redfern and Barton Walters represented Armstrong; Attorneys Swinehart, Irvin Snyder for Strous and Charles Gearhart for Drum.

The War Chest drive is on in Hocking County.

J. C. Woodward was in Columbus Wednesday and Thursday on business.

Mrs. Ema Rush has finished a handsome new bath room in her lovely home.

Mrs. James L. McNab of Washington, C. H., is visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Cain.

Miss Vivian Alice Armstrong is visiting [illegible] aunt, Miss Etta [illegible]

Mr. and Mrs. Lee [illegible] Columbus were [illegible] guests of Mrs. Mary [illegible]

D. L. Arch[illegible]

[illegible] new Overland touring car, purchased from Pearl Greeno, Stoutsville.

The small child of Walter Ebert on California, who was quite ill all of last week, is reported improving.

Clarence Gross of Columbus visited from Saturday until Thursday, the guest of Dr. Lose and wife.

Mrs. Belinda Cook, who has been a great sufferer from asthma for the past several weks, is somewhat improved.

Reverend Doolittle will hold services at the Whistler Church Sunday morning and at Laurelville in the evening.

Harl Armstrong, as a member of the County Board of Elections, will meet with the board for organization at Logan Saturday.

Dr. Lose's parents came Thursday for a few days' visit with the doctor and his wife. The father is a Lutheran minister at Columbus.

A SOLDIER'S LIFE.

IN THE TRENCHES AND DUG-OUTS IN FRANCE.

Interesting Descriptive Letter From Our Grandson, Leo Flannigan.

Somewhere in France,
April 1, 1918.

Dear Grandpa: The boys from Adelphi and near by, over here, have been reading your papers as they reach us, for which we are very thankful. We surely appreciate reading matter from home.

We have read many letters in the Border News written by the lads in the home camps of the good old U. S., telling of their experience. Believe me, the camps in the U. S. are paradises to those we are in now and have been for the past five months.

Our first experience in landing at a French port, after a pleasant trip from Camp Mills, N. J., was without incident. When we left the port for a 400 kilometer ride, closer to the front, we used up four days and nights on the trip. We did not ride in Pullmans, as we were favored in America, but in first-class box cars, a match box in comparison with our coaches at home. Thirty-six to a car was the capacity, and the locomotives that drew our trains were toys in comparison to old Susan of the defunct Adelphi and Laurelville railroads. We arrived safely, however, and were glad of it.

Then we spent several weeks at hand drill and on the rifle range. Then a few short hikes, which took our time up to Xmas. On Christmas Day the treat was orders for another hike, this time 120 kilometers in length. We consumed holiday week on this march, wading through eight inches of snow. We had two snow storms during the five days we were on this march. The sand storms of Mexico were nothing to compare with this hike. Then we spent five weeks at drilling, rifle practice and trench digging, and it appeared to us that the powers that be "selected the worst spot in France for our trench digging, as it was nothing but one layer of rock after another. But we possessed the spirit and finished the trenches.

Then another short train ride which took us to a point just back of the trenches where we were to have our first real experience with the Boche. We billeted in a small village for a few days and [illegible]

[illegible] have to wait long [illegible] which came one afternoon to set everything ready for a trip to the trenches that night. After darkness had set in we were on our way, eight kilometers, and jumped into the trenches before daylight. This was the most untiring but exciting hike we have indulged in, our big guns hurling big shells over our heads as we marched. German shells were bursting around us and some were close enough to give us the "duck habit" and wonder if the next one would be a "little too close" for comfort.

On arriving in the trenches we relieved the division that had been on duty, and we settled down to ten days and nights of real warfare in No Man's land. Maybe some of us, and I firmly believe all of us so favored, thought of mother and the dear old homes over in Ross County, U. S. A.

The night passed away while big shells passed over us from [illegible]

This was the menu of our last meal before writing you. We sure have appetites and are getting the best that General Pershing can afford to give us.

As we are tired of writing we will close, hoping this letter will reach you and find you and all our friends in good health, as we are. We thank our Colerain friends for the interest they take in our welfare and hope to meet and greet them all on a future day—some time.

We remain as ever your loving grandson, Leo Flannigan, and his friend and private clerk, Corporal Irwin H. Dresback, Co. H, 166th U. S. Infantry, A. E. F.

Censored by Lt. C. H. Goode, Co. H, 166th Inf.

MEMORIAL DAY.

Should Be More Interesting to Our People This Year—Help the Few Remaining Old Vets to Observe It Properly.

Memorial Day, May 30th, will be observed in Adelphi with the usual program. Every citizen is asked to contribute to its success by ceasing all labor, at least [illegible] the afternoon of that day, and lend assistance and encouragement to the very few remaining Civil War veterans, who will do what they have done in the past, visit the more than one hundred graves of their comrades and strew a few flowers in precious memory of the sacrifices they made for the freedom and unity of our United States of America. They ask it of you, and we feel that the response will be free and generous, as in the past.

All fraternal organizations of the community are especially requested to assist in the program of the day, as are ex-soldiers of all wars. The fathers, mothers, and other relatives, who have given their kin to our country's service in the present war for freedom of all mankind, have a cordial invitation to take part in detail.

Buchwalter Post, G. A. R., have selected the following committees to arrange for the observance of the day:

Speakers—J. S. Neff and Jasper Truax.

Marking Graves—J. S. Neff, George Rose, Martin Neff and Dr. Bowsher.

Preparing Hall and Decoration—Mesdames Flora [illegible] Liberty Jinks, Elizabeth [illegible] and Josephine Mowery. [illegible] committee will have [illegible]

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[illegible] the Hallsville Brass Band will furnish the music.

WILL BUILD SEVEN [illegible]

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[illegible] attained for Ohio in April of selling more War Savings Stamps than any other state in the country.

In this county total sales of War Savings and Thrift Stamps to May 1 are recorded at state headquarters as $169,364. This sum was made largely possible by the increase in War Savings Stamp sales for the last two weeks of April.

For April Ohio sold enough War Savings Stamps to build seven transports to be used in

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[illegible] all others for quiet, smooth running easy.

These are the points which especially commend the machine. Sewing machine men who have examined it say that if manufactured it will outsell any machine in the market. Now it appears to us that here is an enterprise that will pay "big money" to any person or company that will take hold of it. There is a large profit in the manufacture of sewing machines; the demand is greater than the supply, and with a machine presenting so many points of superiority it seems to us that there could be no question of success. Chillicothe stands in need of just such an industry. We all know that there is no better locality for manufacturing. Mr. Malone is willing to put the machine in the hands of a company upon a royalty that appears to us very small indeed. The opportunity to make a strike is presented. Will our men of capital examine it for themselves? It doesn't cost anything to make the investigation.

A gentleman at our elbow is anxious to know what success would follow the proposition of a stranger who would come here and desire to establish a pork packing establishment and would ask the farmers to let him have all the hogs he wanted on four months time? He says that is what the party suggests who propose to start a fruit canning establishment, and that some of our business men are anxious that he shall do so. Are there many more enterprising business men who are willing to invest in crops of any kind, providing they can get four months time?

We clip the above from the Express. The effect of it is to throw discredit on an enterprise that is of great importance to our city, and still more to our farmers, gardeners and fruit men. The truth of the matter is that the parties proposing to start the canning establishment offer to pay cash for their labor and for the greater part of the produce they are offering to take. For every article of vegetables and fruits that now has a cash market here, or by shipment, they pay cash on delivery; for the one article—sweet corn—that now has no market here, and for which they propose to make a market they only ask such terms as are customary elsewhere. They don't ask any person to contract with them until they are fully satisfied of their reliability. Such inquiry has been made by the Board of Trade, and the information—which is every way creditable—is open to the examination of those who are interested.

The proposition stated above by the Express might be met by a counter one: that is that if one of our pork men had an unlimited supply of pork on hand, and had the ability to pack in unlimited quantities, if that pork packer got a telegram from F. A. Weidner & Co., Baltimore, to ship them six or seven thousand dollars worth of pork on ninety or one hundred and twenty days time, he would not grumble because he paid cash for his hogs, and because Weidner & Co., were asking for credit, but he would busy himself inquiring into the financial and business ability of Weidner & Co., to meet their engagements, and if they were found all right, and whether they were or not could be ascertained in a very short time, our pork packer would ship them the pork, get their notes, and if he so desired could have them discounted at either of the banks.

PROBATE COURT.

The petition of [illegible] Jones, to build a levee in Scioto township to protect the Richmondale turnpike and the lands in the Scioto bottoms south of that road, was filed.

The hearing of exceptions to the final account of the estate of Jas. [illegible] continued to March 10.

Mary E. [illegible] was before the Court as an incorrigible, on complaint of her mother, but the case was dismissed.

Fanny May Hatfield, an orphan, was adopted by G. W. Hall and wife, and her name changed to Fanny May Hall.

rather the worst of it, when Mrs. Purdue came to the rescue, and gave him a most unmerciful beating over the head with a potato-masher, with which she had armed herself for the occasion. The lesson had a good effect on him, for we have heard of none of his tricks since until the one related above.

He was arraigned before Mayor Smart on Saturday afternoon, and was fined $5 and costs, and committed to jail for thirty days. At the end of that time it is to be hoped he may fall into the hands of some lady who can wield a good, healthy potato-masher.

THE FLORENCES.

There are no two dramatic artists in the country who have so long held their places in the public esteem as Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Florence. A quarter of a century ago they were the reigning favorites in comedy, and they still hold their position, having, like good wine, grown better with age. Other stars have come and gone, but the Florences shine on forever, with increased splendor. The secret of their success is in the fact that nature has endowed them with abundant talent, which they have enriched by culture and careful study, always being too faithful in their engagements with the public to present anything of an inferior order. They are booked for one night at the Opera House, as appears by advertisement elsewhere. Their engagement will be the dramatic event of the season. The play is the Mighty Dollar, the best of their repertoire, and one upon which alone they could afford to rest their reputation. Mr. Florence's Hon. Bardwell Slote and Mrs. Florence's Madame Gilflory are characters that are quoted every day over the whole world, and have stamped themselves upon the literature of the day. The engagement of the Florences is of course one that will entail a heavy expense upon the management of Clough's, which should be rewarded by a crowded house.

GRAND LODGE I. O. O. F.

The Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows of the State of Ohio meets in this city the second Tuesday of next May. They come here for the transaction of the annual business of the order and not upon a junketing trip. Nevertheless it is the custom of cities where they meet to receive them in a hospitable manner, and make their stay as pleasant as possible, and we have no doubt Chillicothe will put her best foot foremost on this occasion, and make their meeting here an event to be remembered. The following gentlemen have been appointed a committee to prepare a plan for the entertainment of their visiting brothers: Dr. A. L. Brown, James M. Ingham and John T. Roper, of Chillicothe Lodge; Henry A. [illegible], John G. Snyder and [illegible] Zimmerman, of Metropolis Lodge; Wm. [illegible] and Wm. McKell, of Tecumseh Lodge. The committee will meet at Dr. A. L. Brown's office this evening.

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High Mass was [illegible] St. Mary's Church [illegible]

[illegible] world that he gave his only begotten son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life." The sermon was very commendable, being both practical and theological. The church was crowded.

At night Brother S. F. [illegible] came down from Frankfort and delivered a talk, as he called it; said he could not preach, not being prepared; would only give a little talk; which was short, but very good. He is superintendent of the Frankfort M. E. Sunday School, and pays his undivided attention to that. They have one of the most interesting and largest schools in the county, outside of Chillicothe, the number enrolled since January 1st being [illegible], attendance yesterday, 150.

Wm. [illegible], of Indiana, is visiting friends and relatives in Union township.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hannawalt, of your city, were here yesterday, and attended service at the M. E. Church. I believe he intends making Chillicothe his home, where he will go into business. Our best wishes go with both.

The McCoy Brothers are remodelling the old A. M. McCoy blacksmith and plow shop in Frankfort, where they intend to do a general business, from a clock key to McCormick self-binders.

Our wheat in this township looks pretty fair for so much wet weather; some looks pretty well drowned out; prospect pretty fair for a good crop.

Corn about all in, and a good portion marketed, generally of an inferior quality, being very light.

Sugar making is not very profitable this season; too much rain and no freezing. Those having camps have not opened many.

Our ice men would surely be thankful for a heavy freeze now. I saw some in an ice house the other day [illegible] very much like [illegible] snow.

J. M. [illegible]

ADELPHI ITEMS.

ADELPHI, O., March 1, 1880.

To the Editors of The Scioto Gazette:

Part of Cemetery Hill, east of Adelphi, is sinking. It has settled down some five feet. A spring underneath carrying out the quick-sand seems to be the cause.

Another pioneer has gone to rest. Mr. Elijah Kerchner, a resident of Salt Creek valley, aged seventy-seven years and [illegible] months, was buried in the village cemetery Friday last. He was the second son of Daniel Kerchner, Sr., once a Representative of Hocking county in the Legislature, and brother of Daniel Kerchner, [illegible] of Colerain township.

[illegible] Carlton, of this village, [illegible]

George Dunn is confined to his bed with heart disease.

[illegible] Wolf, Democratic Assessor for Hocking county, whose name has been unpleasantly connected with [illegible] Armstrong, was offered the choice of standing a church trial or to withdraw [illegible]. He chose the latter and is now at liberty [illegible]

At a meeting of the [illegible] Agricultural Society [illegible]

D. K. [illegible] billiard table [illegible]

Joe Taylor, [illegible]

KINGSTON.

To the Editors of The Scioto Gazette:

Miss [illegible] Kilgore visited [illegible] last week.

Mr. Clarke and Miss Kate Scovill, of Circleville, were visiting at Mr. W. W. [illegible]'s last week.

There was a birthday party given to Miss [illegible] Tuesday evening. About fifty persons were present, [illegible]

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his [illegible] the weather, roads, and very feeble condition of our horse, he concluded we could stay.

"Eleven o'clock a. m.—Horse still alive; five miles of mud road. One o'clock p. m.—We had struck solid ground *en route* for home. Landed in Massieville after hard struggling and considerable footing; turned our goods over to the firm and proceeded to take an iron-clad oath never to engage in the huckstering business again. The wagon and box are still in position, but the horse will undoubtedly die. Expenses of trip, $4.14½; twenty-four cents worth of groceries out; stood one toll-gate off. For further particulars call on hucksters."

GOSSIP.

FROM CLARKSBURG.

CLARKSBURG, O., March 1, 1880.

To the Editors of The Scioto Gazette:

A very agreeable surprise party visited the house of Miss Minerva Peacock on the 27th inst., it being her fiftieth birthday. About forty partook of an excellent dinner, abundant in quantity and excellent in quality. Mrs. A. R. Vose, to whose care was entrusted the arrangement of the surprise and dinner, performed her work in an admirable manner. So complete was the surprise that the worthy lady could hardly realize her situation for a short time; but soon the spell was broken and with feelings too great for utterance gave each one a cordial shake and a hearty welcome.

Rev. A. B. Saliff is holding a series of meetings in the M. E. Church at this place. Rev. Z. W. Fagan, of Lexington circuit, preached an excellent sermon Thursday evening. Quite an interesting religious feeling is manifested at this meeting, and no doubt a great deal of good will be accomplished.

Hiram Crabb, of this county, and Sarah Anderson, of Pickaway county, were married on the 26th inst., by Rev. Z. W. Fagan.

S. N. Brown has removed his storeroom on the corner of Main and High streets, and will soon have it ready for business.

Mr. Hiram [illegible], of Circleville, has rented land of A. Thomas and intends going into the garden business.

T. J. [illegible] expects to move to Frankfort soon, to engage in the undertaking business.

PRO BONO.

[illegible]

One of the greatest attractions of Waverly is an old fashioned graveyard in the center of the town. It is surrounded by a tight board fence, with inscriptions painted thereon in divers places, "Post No Bills Here!" "Don't Sit On This Fence!" Now, just the idea of a Waverlyite posting up a bill about on a graveyard fence! If he had a bill about him anywhere, 'twould likely be posted up for keep in some saloon, before anywhere else. And as for sitting on the fence, a man would be a confounded fool to sit on such a looking fence as that [illegible] right in the center of town, too, where all the young ladies would point their fingers at him and say, "Look at that loafer!" [illegible] there's one redeeming feature about the graveyard, and 'twould be sacrilegious to have it removed; "Uncle Josiah" writes all his editorials in it, while sitting on a tombstone.

Geo. W. Livesay left Monday morning for Chillicothe. He will remain in that place the coming season, selling buggies.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

George Sutton and Mary Darling.
S. F. Hannawalt and Katie E. Byrne.
Wm. H. Harris and Margaret F. [illegible]
George Steel and Emma A. Strawser.
Clisborn Miller and Mattie Mecall.

BIRTHS.

STOCKMAN—Near Richmondale, on Wednesday 25th ult., to Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Stockman, a son.

SEWARD—In this city, Feb. 24, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Seward, (colored), a son.

DIED.

UHRIG—In Huntington township, March 2, of old age, Valentine Uhrig, aged 80 years.

SUTTON—In this city, March 1, of consumption, Emily Sutton, aged 35 years.

BIZANT—In Twin township, Feb. 29, Bessie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bizant, aged 8 months.

WOODS—In this city, Feb. 28, of spinal meningitis, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Woods, aged 2 years.

MADRUE—In this city, Feb. 27, of cancer in the breast, Mrs. Anna Madrue, wife of John Madrue, aged 56 years.

CURTIS—In Springfield township, Feb. 28, of brain fever, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. James Curtis, aged 3 years.

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REW J. CONNER

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JOSEPH L. WARKE.

Union-Herald, 21st. Jan 20

After an illness of nearly a year Joseph Lenn Warke died at his home on South Maplewood avenue, at midnight Tuesday, January 20.

Mr. Warke had been ill of gastric ulcers, but the immediate cause of his death was cerebral hemorrhage.

Joseph L. Warke was born in the North of Ireland, March 16, 1847, and was a son of Robert and Lora Jane Lenn Warke. He married Miss Mary Jane Montgomery, and is survived by his widow and eight children: Mrs. Elizabeth Lang and John Warke, of Chicago, Ill.; George F. Warke and Mrs. Emma S. Mallory, of Cleveland; Mrs. Minnie J. Siefferd and William S. Warke, of Dayton; Mrs. Anna Armanz, of California, and Rev. Joseph A. Warke, of Manitoba, Canada.

Of his immediate family he leaves one brother, Robert Warke, of Atlantic City, New Jersey, and three sisters, Mrs. J. J. Egan, of Chicago, Ill.; Mrs. Smith, of New York, and Mrs. Montgomery, of Edinburg, Scotland.

Mr. Warke was a member of St. Philip's Episcopal church and previous to his illness took an active interest in church work. The funeral will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the church, and burial will be in Forest cemetery. Rev. A. Ramsey will officiate.

BAILEY. Jan 1914

John S. Bailey died Saturday, 17th inst., at his home near the junction of East Main and Mound streets, having been ill for several weeks. Mr. Bailey was born March 28, 1836, in Walnut township, Pickaway county, and was a son of Jacob and Mary Stein Bailey, pioneer German settlers from Pennsylvania.

He married Miss Matilda Poe in this city December 23, 1860, and is survived by his wife and five children; Miss Laura Bailey, Henry Bailey, of Champaign county, Ill.; Albert Bailey, of Columbus; Mrs. Lydia Waggaman, of this city, and Mrs. Elizabeth Schneemilch, of Columbus. Of his immediate family he leaves one sister, Mrs. Sarah Ball, of Garnett, Kansas.

Mr. Bailey was a veteran of the Civil war. He served in Company B, 114th O. V. I., and was a member of Groce Post G. A. R.

He was a carpenter by trade, but for the past few years had followed truck gardening. He was also an authority on local fishing grounds and had quite a reputation as an angler.

The funeral services were held at the Albaugh undertaking parlors Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment was in Forest cemetery.

Jacob Karshner.

Jacob Karshner, a well known resident of Saltcreek township, and brother of Enoch Karshner, of the same township, died on the 15th inst., from a complication of diseases, aged 78 years, 10 months and 27 pays. Jan

Deceased is survived by his widow, eight children, namely, Joanna, Mary, Charles R., Sabina, Vesta, John J., Cyrus and Etta, one brother and two sisters, Mesdames Engle and Reed, of Paulding county.

The following relatives: Mr. and Mrs. John J. Karshner and son, Merl, of Logan; Mrs. Mowrey and Lee Karshner, of Columbus, attended the funeral, which occurred in Adelphi, Sunday.

John I. Radcliffe, one of Darbyville's best known citizens, died at 11 A. M. Tuesday, 20th inst., from general debility. He had been in poor health since October. During the Civil War Mr. Radcliffe saw service in Company A of the hard-fighting 90th Ohio Infantry, serving as a musician from August 19, 1862, till June 30, 1865. He was a son of Daniel and Sarah Bailey Radcliffe, and was born in Muhlenberg township, June 8, 1843. He was married March 24, 1874, to Matilda Brown, and four children survive—Ethel, wife of J. Will Miller, of Detroit, Mich.; Annabelle, wife of Harry W. Moore; Arthur and Miss Mento Radcliffe, all of Darbyville. His brothers are Felix Raecliffe, of Columbus; Seymour Radcliffe, of Circleville; Hedry and William Radcliffe, of Darbyville, and the sisters, Mrs. Anna Wallace, Mrs Ella Wallace, Mrs. Elizabeth Row and Miss Jane Radcliff, all of Columbus. The funeral was held Thursday at 2 o,clock at the residence, Rev. B. F. Crawford in charge; burial in Darbyville cemetery.

HUNSICKER. Jan 21

Mrs. Elizabeth Gordy Hunsicker, wife of Samuel G. Hunsicker, of Williamsport, died on 21st inst., of pneumonia, after a brief illness. The Williamsport News says:

Elizabeth Gordy Hunsicker was a daughter of George and Susan Hoskins Gordy, and was born in Perry township, about 70 years ago. She was married January 3, 1860, to Samuel G. Hunsicker, and to them five children were born. Thomas and Charles S. preceded their mother to the great beyond. The survivors are George P. and John L. Hunsicker, president and assistant cashier, respectively, of the Farmers National bank, and Mrs. Ella Hunsicker Hornbeck. He sisters are Sarah Hancock of Columbus and Henrietta Noble of Indianapolis; brothers, W. N. Gordy of this place; J. L. Gordy of Portland, Oregon; Clinton Gordy of Kansas. Mrs. Hunsicker was a life-long member of the Methodist Episcopal church, and was a woman who was loved and respected by all

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MISS MARGARET CONNOR, daughter of Mrs. Margaret Connor, residing on W. Mill St., who has been ill the past year, died yesterday morning. She was for years a well known school teacher in the county. Jan 22

'Your Flag'

Hello. Remember me? Some people call me Old Glory, others call me the Star-Spangled Banner, but whatever they call me, I am your flag, the flag of the United States of America.

Something has been bothering me, so I thought I might talk it over with you — because it is about you and me.

I remember some time ago, people would line up on both sides of the street to watch the parade, and naturally I was leading everyone, proudly waving in the breeze.

When your daddy saw me coming, he immediately removed his hat and placed it against his left shoulder so that his hand was directly over his heart. Remember?

And you, I remember, were standing there, straight as a soldier. You didn't have a hat, but you were giving the right salute. Your little sister, not to be outdone, she was saluting the same as you, with her right hand over her heart. Remember?

What happened? I'm still the same old flag. Oh, I've added a few more stars since you were a boy, and a lot more blood has been shed since those parades of long ago.

But now, somehow, I don't feel as proud as I used to feel. When I come down your street, you just stand there with your hands in your pockets. You may give me a small glance, and then you look away. I see children running around you shouting; they don't seem to know who I am.

I saw one man take his hat off, then he looked around, and when he didn't see anybody else take off his hat, he quickly put his on again.

Is it a sin to be patriotic today? Have you forgotten what I stand for and where I have been? Anzio, Guadalcanal, Korea, Vietnam!

Take a look at the memorial honor rolls and see the names of those patriotic Americans who gave their lives to keep this republic free. When you salute me, you actually are saluting them.

Well, it won't be long until I'll be coming down your street again. So when you see me, please stand straight and place your hand over your heart, and I'll know that you remembered. I'll salute you by waving back!

BOYD N. REID

Funeral services were held at 1 p.m. today at the Wellman Funeral Home, Laurelville for Boyd N. Reid, 64, who died Tuesday, Nov. 9, in Doctor's North Hospital.

Born January 7, 1929, Hocking County, he was the son of the late John Delno and Nora Crawford Reid.

He was retired from the State of Ohio and was a navy veteran who had served in Guam and the Pacific.

He is survived by a nephew, John Reid of Alliance; four nieces, Janet Biery of Rawson, Linda Fausnaugh of Circleville, Jane Harper and Karen Hartley, both of Laurelville; several sisters-in-law and a brother-in-law from the Laurelville and South Bloomingville areas.

Burial was at the Green Summit Cemetery.

Deaths and funerals

BOYD N. REID

Boyd N. Reid, 64, of Columbus died Nov. 9, 1993, at Doctors North.

He was born Jan. 7, 1929, in Hocking County, the son of John Delno and Nora (Crawford) Reid.

He was retired from the State of Ohio and was a U.S. Navy veteran having served in Guam and the Pacific. He was preceded in death by his parents; brothers, Robert, George, John and Warren; sisters, Winifred Schaal and Mildred Karshner; brother-in-law, Adam Schaal.

He is survived by nephew, John (Debbie) Reid of Alliance; nieces, Janet (Richard) Biery of Rawson, Linda (Ted) Fausnaugh of Circleville, Jane (Robert) Harper and Karen (Howard) Hartley of Laurelville; brother-in-law, Burnell Karshner of Laurelville; sisters-in-law, Audrey Reid of Laurelville and Ruth Reid Hampshire of South Bloomingville. Funeral service will be at 1 p.m. Friday at the Wellman Funeral Home, Laurelville. Burial will be in Green Summit Cemetery.

Friends may call from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday.

Boyd Reid S/o John Delno & Nora (Crawford) Reid
Gt S/o William "Alfred" & Sarah (Creider) Reid
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Gt Grandson of Nathan & Elizabeth "Kate" (Wiggins) Reid
Gt Gt Grandson of John & Joannah (Brown) Reid
Gt Gt Gt " " Rebecca Reid of Ireland

FAMILY TRIBUTE

HILGAR E. KARSHNER

Hilgar E. Karshner, 68, died Nov. 15, 1993, at his residence in Columbus.

He was born Sept. 26, 1925, in Ross County to the late Samuel and Rosa Cryder Karshner. He was the spouse of Helen.

Funeral service is at 1 p.m. Thursday at Myers Funeral Home, Groveport, with the Rev. Thomas Gene Gividen officiating. Burial will be in Franklin Hills Memory Garden. Calling hours are from 4 to 8 p.m. Wednesday. Memorial may be made to Mount Carmel Hospice.

Cadet Hilgar E. Karshner, son of Mrs. S. E. Karshner, Kingston, has completed the Army's primary flight training course at Thunderbird Field, No. 1, Glendale, Ariz., it was announced by the PRO. Cadet Karshner took his cadet detachment training at Michigan State college, East Lansing, Mich.

In Memory of

HILGAR E. KARSHNER

Date of Birth

SEPTEMBER 26, 1925

Date of Death

NOVEMBER 15, 1993

Place and Time of Services

MYERS FUNERAL HOME
1:00 P.M. THURSDAY NOV. 18, 1993

Officiating

REV. THOMAS GENE JIVIDEN

Place of Interment

FRANKLIN HILLS MEMORY GARDENS

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MYERS FUNERAL HOME
GROVEPORT, OHIO

A LOVELY POEM FROM HIS FUNERAL

He loved to till the verdant soil,
And watch his garden grow,
But now he tills another spot,
A beauty spot I know.

He plows where fields are always green,
With furrows straight an true,
And where the day is always bright,
And life begins anew.

But we shall miss him here on earth,
Until our day is done,
When we shall be with him again,
When our rewards are won.

Samuel Karshner

HALLSVILLE — Samuel E. Karshner, 85, of near Hallsville, died unexpectedly at his residence Friday noon as the result of a heart attack.

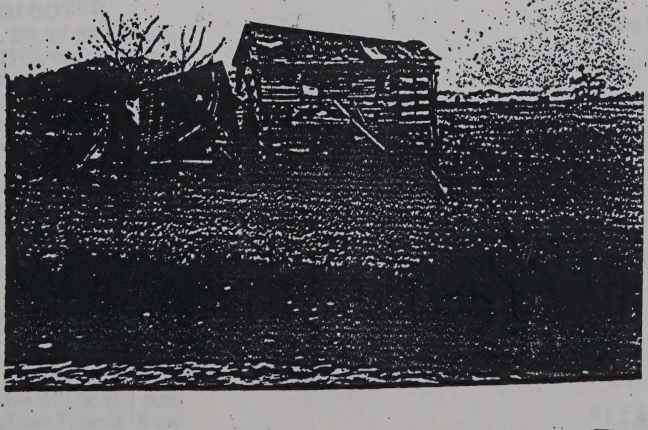
He was born near Hallsville on Dec. 8, 1876, the son of Samuel and Mary Huffman Karshner. On Nov. 23, 1905, he married Rosa Cryder, who died in 1951.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Hazel Cunningham, New York City; three sons, Herman and Hilgar Karshner, both of Columbus, and Harold, in Hallsville; six grandchildren and a great-grandchild. Five brothers predeceased him.

Mr. Karshner, a Spanish-American War veteran, was a member of the Hallsville EUB Church and the Odd Fellows, in Chillicothe.

Service will be held at 2 p.m. Monday in the Hallsville EUB Church, with burial in the Hallsville Cemetery. Friends may call at the Hill Funeral Home, Kingston, after 6:30 p.m. Saturday, and at the church after 1 p.m. Monday.

Oct. 12, 1962



OLD HOME PLACE OF SAMUEL KARSHNER
PICTURE TAKEN 5/23/1992 1 WEEK BEFORE
IT WAS TORN DOWN.

Hilgar S/o Samuel & Rosa (Crider) Karshner
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Grandson of Motis Reid
Grandson of Thomas + Sarah "Carrie" (Reid) Boyer

Local man dies in out-of-county wreck

By JACK MADER
The Herald

A Pickaway County man is dead as the result of a smashup involving three cars and a truck that occurred around 7 p.m. Wednesday in Jackson County. One other person was killed and several others injured.

The local victim was identified as Timothy L. Boyer, 20, of Winchester Southern Road. He was a corrections officer at the Pickaway County Sheriff's Department.

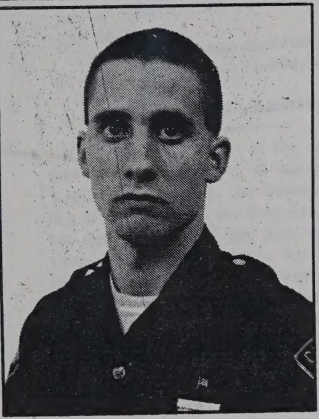
According to a spokesman for the Jackson post of the Highway Patrol, a car driven by Keith A. Arrington, 38, of Jackson, a pickup truck operated by Gretchen Payne, 19, of Jackson, and a pickup truck driven by Boyer were all eastbound on U.S. Route 35 west of Jackson. The semi, driven by Glen A. Wilson, 47, of Reedsville, N.C., was westbound. Arrington was passing the Payne and Boyer vehicles and his car collided head-on with the semi. Arrington's car was then shoved into the Payne and Boyer vehicles and it finally came to rest partially beneath the semi. He was pronounced dead at the scene. Wilson was badly hurt.

Boyer was taken by Life Flight to Grant Hospital in Columbus where he died early Thursday morning.

Sheriff Dwight Radcliff said Boyer was part of the first group of corrections officers hired to staff the new county jail and had worked for the department about a year.

"He was a super guy and very energetic," Radcliff said upon learning of Boyer's death. "This is a big loss."

Death



TIM BOYER

Tim Boyer, 20, of Stoutsville, died Aug. 26, 1993, as the result of an auto accident.

He was born Nov. 22, 1972, in Circleville, the son of Melvin and Darlene (Webb) Boyer. He was a graduate of Logan Elm High School and was employed as a corrections officer for the Pickaway County Sheriff's Department.

He is survived by his wife, Crystal (Whaley) Boyer; his parents; a sister, Mrs. Greg (Teresa) Hartley; nephew, Zachary Hartley of Groveport; and grandparents, Harold and Haullena Webb of Lancaster.

Funeral service will be at 1 p.m. Monday at Wellman Funeral Home in Circleville with Dr. Doyne Wiggins officiating. Burial will be in Maple Hill Cemetery. Friends may call from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Sunday at the funeral home.

In Memory Of
TIMOTHY L. BOYER
Date of Birth
NOVEMBER 22, 1972
Date of Death
AUGUST 26, 1993
Place and Time of Service
WELLMAN FUNERAL HOME
MONDAY AUGUST 30, 1993
1:00 P.M.
Officiating
DR. DOYNE WIGGINS
Place of Interment
MAPLE HILL CEMETERY
Arrangements By
WELLMAN FUNERAL HOME

Tim was our daughter in law Teresa (Boyer) Hartley's Brother.

S/O Melvin + Darlene (Webb) Boyer

Grand/S/O Albert + Sarah "Carrie" (Reid) Boyer

Gt G S/O Motis + Eddie (Seitz) Reid

Gt G" " William "Alfred" + Sarah (Crider Kridge) Reid

Gt Gt Grandson of Nathan + Elizabeth "Kate" (Wiggens) Reid

Gt Gt Gt " " John + Joannah (Brown) Reid

" " "Gt" " " Rebecca Reid of Ireland

THE young wife of John Odaffer, jr., rresiding on the Davenport farm, in Pickaway township, died last Tuesday, in the 22d year of her age. Her funeral occurred yesterday morning from U. B. Church, this city, and interment in Forest Cemetecy.

FRANCIS E. LEWIS, the alleged poisoner, who has been confined in the County Jail since last summer, now affects the musical, and almost constantly plays on a violin. Time evidently hangs wearily on his hands, and he takes this method of driving away *ennui*.

Probate Court.

Henry Pontious, Ex'r of Samuel G. Pontious, ordered to sell stock in Scioto Valley Railway, at private sale.

J. P. Winstead and C. E. Morris, appointed Admr's of estate of Samuel A. Smart, dec'd. Bond $10,000 each.

Wm. Heffner appointed Guardian of Mary, John and Lizzie Lamparter.

Geo. L. Morgan, Adm'r of estate of Z. N. Morgan, dec'd, resignation as such Adm'r, filed and accepted.

Geo. L. Morgan and Daniel J. Morgan appointed Adm'rs *de bonis non* of Z. N. Morgan, dec'd.

Joseph E. F. Thomas appointed Guardian of Nora F. and Mary A. Thomas, minors.

Marriage Licenses:

John W. Swank and Elizabeth Eggleston.

MRS. HETTIE STOUT, one of the early settlers of this county, died at her home in Washington township, last Saturday evening, of pneumonia, in the sixty-sixth year of her age. She was ill less than two days. Deceased was a sister-in-law ot Mrs. Jesse D. Courtright, of this city, and widow of Isaac Stout, whose sudden death in this city, of apoplexy, several years ago is still remembered. Her daughter, Mrs. David Young, also died last Saturday, within five hours of Mrs. Stout, in Fairfield county, of consumption. Mrs. Stout's funeral occurred last Tuesday, the remains being temporarily interred in Mortuary, and Mrs. Young's obsequies took place on Wednesday, from Dutch Hollow Church.

Isaac Cookson, of this township, was married on the 27th ult., to Miss Mary Grim, of Stoutsville.

One of our citizens lost his overcoat a short time ago, but we are happy to say the lost has been found. We advise our friend to be on the alert in the future.

Mrs. Stout, wife of the late Isaac Stout, died at her residence in this township, last Sunday morning. Funeral services at the Reform Church, Stoutsville, on Tuesday. The corpse was deposited in the Mortuary at Circleville. Her age was 75 years and some months.

MRS. M. C. BARNES, of Oswego, Kansas, a sister of John N. and James Cook, of this city, who suffered the amputationof her left arm recently, died last week, from the shock of the operation. She was a former resident of Circleville, and as Sarah Cook, is still remembered by many of her friends.

FEBRUARY 4, 1881.

A. Adelphi correspondent, Jan. 31st, writes: Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Karshner, living two and one-half miles west of this village, were both taken sick with pleuro pneumonia the latter part of last week, and at this writing Mr. Karshner is in a critical condition. Mrs. Karshner, during her illness, gave birth to a child, which so reduced her that she died Friday morning. She was buried Saturday at one o'clock, in the family lot in Green Summit Cemetery. Mrs. Karshner leaves a husband and family of ten children to mourn her loss, together with a large number of relatives. She was aged thirty-nine years.

THE home farm of Col. Elias Florence, in Muhlenberg township, consisting of 187¾ acres, was sold at Trustees' sale, last Tuesday afternoon, to Wellington B. White, for $72 per acre. There was a large attendance of land-owners present, and bidding was spirited. The proceeds of the sale amounting to $13,518, reverts to the subscribers to the fund used in purchasing this homestead for Col. Florence, at the time of the sale of his real estate in August, 1874, he having made an assignment in May, 1873. The original cost of the land to these stockholders was $10,012.70, and the difference between these sums, of $3,505.30, represents a very fair rate of interest on their investment.

Real Estate Transfers.

T. J. Beckett and wife to John Keyes, Lot 62, 63, Commercial Point, $800.

George W. Ashbrook and wife to Robert W. Peters, 55 acres, 100 poles, Walnut tp., $4,000.

Lewis Palm and wife to John Welshamer, Lot 1446, Circleville, $150.

J. E. F. Thomas to Elizabeth Thomas, undivided one-tenth of 24 acres, Darby tp., quit claim, $50.

B. F. Walker and wife to Newton Peters, 231 acres, Scioto tp., $8,000.

Thomas D. Nicholson and wife to George W. Dolby and Peter Glick, 112 poles, Harrison tp., $110.

Peter Glick and wife to George W. Dolby, 112 poles, Harrison tp., $100.

John P. Bolin, Sheriff, &c, to George W. Dolby, Lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24 and 25, Ashville, $981.66.

Henry F. Page and P. W. Huntington to Wellington B. White, 187¾ acres, Muhlenberg tp., $13,518.

It is with grief that we record the death of another old veteran, Daniel Phillips, who departed this life last Monday, after an illness of comparatively short duration, at the advanced age of nearly eighty-eight years. Mr. P. was indoctrinated in the Christian faith in early life and lived a consistent Christian up to his death. He was the father of twelve children, all of whom with the widowed mother, excepting one son, are left to mourn his loss. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. W. H. Brown, at the Warner Church, last Thursday.

SUEZ.

ELIZABETH CROOKHA

Wife of Lawrence Crookham, died last Friday, at her home in Jackson township, aged 55 years, after an illness extending over a period of at least fifteen years. She was a native of Jackson county, O., born in 1825, but for many years resided in this county. Five children survive her—George, John, Will and Harry Crookham and Mrs. Emma Fitzgerald, of Madison county. The funeral services occurred last Sunday, Rev. S. H. McMullin, of this city, delivering the discourse to a large crowd of relatives and friends.

Francis E. Lewis, indicted for poisoning his mother, was arraigned on 21st inst, and pleaded not guilty to the indictment charging him with murder in first degree. His trial was set for March 7th.

Miss Sophrona Hott and Mr. Perry Prindle, were married on the 20th inst., at Littleton Gochenouer's.

Births.

In Garnett, Kansas, 27th ult., to John S. Whitfor and wife, a son.

Married.

On 23d ult., John Walker and Miss Isabel Lantz, both of Lithopolis.

At Newark, 25th ult., Mr. Matt Roach, of Lancaster, conductor on C. & T. R. R., and Miss Alice Crowley, neice of T. O. Donovan, of Newark. The Newark *Advocate* says: In the evening, an elegant reception was tendered the happy couple, at Mr Donovan's handsome residence on Hudson avenue.

On 20th ult., by Rev. C. M. Reinhold, Mr. Albert Grove, of Pickaway county, and Miss Delia, daughter of Dr. H. L. Ferguson, of Stoutsville.

On 14th ult., by Rev. C. M. Reinhold, Mr. Jesse Riegel and Leah Swander.

At Clarksburg, 27th ult., at the residence of Dr. J. M. Evans, by Rev. R. C. Galbraith, Jr., Mr. William J. Mossbarger and Miss Mary E. Evans.

On 27th ult., by Rev. J. W. Barber, Mr. Isaiah Cookson, of Pickaway county, and Miss Mary A. Grim, of Fairfield county.

Died.

At Georgesville, 20th ult., of consumption, L. P. Stone.

Near Eagle Center, Hancock county, Jan. 3d, '81, Joshua Hartman, in his 75th year. He was a resident of Fairfield county, O., from 1815 to 1839.

On 20th ult., Mrs. Barr, wife of James Barr, of Clearcreek township, Fairfield county.

At Groveport 21st ult., Mrs Christian Barch, aged 28 years, leaving three children, the youngest only sixteen days old.

In this city, 28th ult., Elizabeth Throne, aged 92 years.

In this city, on 30th ult., infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Ross, aged three weeks.

In Perry township, 28th ult., William Streevy, aged 75 years.

At Adelphi, 30th ult., of consumption, Mrs. Kates, aged 74 years

At Lancaster, Jan. 31st, Robert Reed, a resident there since 1829, aged 77 years.

W. H. MOORE, a well known citizen of Darbyville, died yesterday of pneumonia after an illness of ten days. He leaves a wife and family, to mourn the loss of a husband and father. Mr. Moore will be remembered as the subject of a partisan prosecution before the U. S. Gourt, at Columbus, recently, of which he was triumphantly acquitted.

JULY 11, 1890.

Mrs. Emily Rogers, widow of the late Samuel Rogers, of Circleville, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Kinkead, in Lancaster, O., Friday evening, July 4th. The Lancaster *Gazette* says: Her death is ascribed to a general decline of the vital powers, she being eighty one years old. She had not long been ill, and the intelligence of her demise came unexpectedly. The deceased was born near Syracuse, New York, in 1808. When but three years of age she was brought to this State, her parents locating in Franklin county. Nine years later she came to this city and remained with the family of Mr. Chris. King until 1830, when she was married to Mr. R. M. Ainsworth, a leading Lancaster merchant. Seven years later, after the death of her beloved husband, she was united in marriage to Samuel Rogers, of Circleville. Two daughters by her first husband survive her, Mrs. J. C. Kinkead, of this city, with whom she has made her home for the past ten years, and Mrs. L. S. Follett, of Hastings, Michigan. Funeral services were conducted Sunday morning, at 9 o'clock, by Rev. Dr. MacMillan, of the Presbyterian Church, assisted by Rev. T. H. Hall, the remains being followed to their resting place in Forest Rose Cemetery by a large concourse of friends.

Dr. John Wesley Biggerstaff was born in Morgan county, W. Va., October 12, 1827, and died of heart failure, at his home near Buckner, Mo., June 16, 1890. His parents were William and Margaret Biggerstaff. At the age of six years he, with his parents, emigrated to Ohio, and settled in Pickaway county, near Circleville. At the age of manhood, he was married to Rebecca Callahan, who still survives him, with two grown sons and a daughter. He left Ohio 18 years ago for the West, and settled in Missouri, in Jackson county. His occupation was farming and stock raising, and was a noted animal doctor, especially in diseases of the horse. He was of a family of twelve children, three sisters of whom survive him—Mrs. Mary Poe, of Sedalia, Mo., consort of the late John Poe; Mrs. Sarah Bradford, of Springfield, Ohio, and a half sister, Mrs. Nancy Kern, who resides at Circleville, O.

The deceased was generous-hearted and kind, and represented the true type of manhood. His loss is mourned by the entire community. Rev. Mr. Exley, of the M. E. Church, delivered the funeral oration, after which his remains were followed by a large concourse of sorrowing friends and neighbors and laid to rest in Buckner Cem-

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Mrs. Nancy Kessler died at her home near Greencastle, Monday, June 30th, aged 82 years. Nancy Kemp was born in June, 1808. She was married to Jonathan Kessler, Sept. 6, 1829. She was the mother of twelve children. Five daughters and four sons live to mourn their loss; also, forty-eight grandchildren and forty-two great-grandchildren, and numerous other relatives and friends. She became a member of the Lutheran church when a young girl, and for more than sixty years she was a consistent member. The funeral services were conducted by the pastor, the Rev. W. L. Hunton, in Israel's Lutheran Church, on Wednesday, July 2d, at 11 A. M.

Yesterday, about 11:30 o'clock, while Stephen Howard, Jr., aged about ten years, was bathing in the "Old Hole," below town, with some other boys, he got beyond his depth and was drowned. The boys with him were all about his age, and could give no assistance. They came up town for help, but before any one reached the place he had been under at least twenty minutes. Dr. G. C. Hays found him, in water about five feet deep. He was a lively and intelligent boy, well known and familiarly called "Beans."

GEARHART—WARNER.

Robert M. Gearhart and Miss Ruth M. Warner were married Thursday evening, June 26th, at 9 o'clock, by Rev. H. C. Sexton, in the presence of about forty-five friends and relatives.

The bride looked very nice, in a cream silk and wool, and the groom his best in conventional black. They were attended by Mary and Edna Ruth, cousins of the bride, as maids of honor; also, E. S. Neuding and Pearl Warner, the bridal party making a lovely group, as they passed into the parlor of the bride and groom's new home, where the ceremony took place.

Many were the handsome and valuable presents received from their friends, as tokens of love.

Both parties are well known in this city, the groom for the past four years being a machinist in the Straw Board Works, and the bride for the past three years has been one of our best primary teachers. Our best wishes are with both in their new life.

Emeline Stout, daughter of William and Eleanor Neff, was born October 6, 1830, and departed this life July 2d, 1890, aged 59 years, 8 months and 27 days.

She was baptised in infancy, by the Rev. Jacob Leist; united with the Reformed Church while in girlhood, of which she was a member till death.

She was united in marriage to Geo. W. Stout, Dec. 6th, 1849. This union was blessed with ten children, four sons and six daughters. Three sons and three daughters preceded her to

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PROBATE COURT.

S. M. Yates and Elias Ater, Assignees of William C. Ater, filed inventory and appraisement and schedule of liabilities. Application for sale of certain chattels at private sale granted.

Thomas J. Brelsford made his election not to take under the will of his deceased wife, Nancy J. Brelsford.

Jacob McCollister, Administrator of Hester Ann McCollister, dec'd, filed petition for sale of real estate, which was set for hearing July 21st.

A. C. Skinner, Adm'r of estate of William N. Willis, dec'd, filed petition for sale of real estate, which was set for hearing July 28th.

Order of sale of real estate issued to Charles Dresbach, Adm'r of Elizabeth Foerst, dec'd.

Real Estate Transfers.

Martin Kellstadt to Geo. W. Hitler, lots 605 and 606, Circleville, $1,700.

Jas. T. Wallace, Sheriff, to Ted Try, lot 703 Circleville, $766.67.

Jas. H. Allen, trustee, to C. B. Olney and Wm. Mantle, part of out lot No. 1 Derby, $130.

Wm. Frazier and wife to Luther Frazier, ½ acres Walnut township, $300.

David Schoch to Harriet E. Schoch, 14 acres and 86 poles, Pickaway township, $1.

John Mowery Jr. and wife to Jane Thomas, ½ acre Saltcreek township, $50

John Wholever to Sarah Jane Wholever, lot 256 Circleville, $1 and other considerations.

BIRTHS.

In this city, 8th inst, to Frank W. Miller and wife (*nee* Mame Gill), a son.

At Mt Sterling, 7th inst., to E. C. Hornbeck and wife, a daughter.

At Leavenworth, Kansas, 13th ult., to C. W Hurst and wife, formerly of Circleville, a son.

DEATHS.

In Washington township, 6th inst., of brain fever, Lawrence C., infant son of Wm. E. and Mary E Young, aged 10 months and 9 days. Funeral and interment at Dutch Hollow, on Tuesday.

In this city, 7th inst., of cholera infantum, Ethel H., infant daughter of Henry M. and Mary Gutches, aged 11 months.

At East Ringgold, 9th inst., Henry Lape, aged [illegible] years.

In this city, 7th inst., of cholera infantum, only child of Abe Wilhelm, aged 1 year and six months.

Jacob Karshner died at his home in Saltcreek township, Hocking county, 7th inst., aged 88 years, 6 months and 1 day. He was born January 6th, 1802, in Bucks county, Pa., moved to Ohio with his parents, in 1807, and settled in Colerain township, where he remained until after his marriage with Miss Mary Flannigan. After marriage the couple moved to Pine, in Saltcreek township, Hocking county, where they resided until separated by the death of the wife, July 11, 1889. Seven children were born of the union, four sons and three daughters, all now living. The deceased was an industrious, successful farmer, and one of the most respected citizens in the community.

GEORGE H. FRAZIER, a former school teacher of this vicinity, the last several

Mary Jane Karshner	1832 - 1909
Alfred Reid	- 1896

married 1862 August 10

Alfred Reid was in the Civil War and said to b have been an invalid. He had been married prior to his marriage to Mary Jane. He and Mary Jane had no children from their marriage. He had several from the prior marriage.

* Susannah Reid	ca. 1848	*Census Records
Minerva Reid	ca. 1852	
Matilda Reid	ca. 1855	
Johana Reid	ca. 1859	

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MACOMB ILL. MAR 25

Macomb Ill March 25. 1867

Macomb Ill July 23 1867,

Dear Sister.

I take my pen in hand to in form you that I Received your Letter of June the 28, Yesterday and was glad to here that you was all well, altho that is one Month old, and the only Letter that I have Received Since I have been here. the Reason why the New is so Long getting here is because it is sent by way of water from Cincinnati. you wanted to now how Much it cost me to come Out here, it cost me $24.25. I had to Lay over part of two Nights, was the Reason that it Coast me so much, When I Come home I will come by the way of Chicago I dont Now when that will be, harvest is about Over I bou Wheat ten days. I dont Now.

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for you to come out here to
get Married for the Boys
is all Lazy and uggly
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time I have ben at work
Ever Since I come out here
I was glad to here that John
had got well of the Chicken
pox, I expected that he would
get them,

Hoping when these few
Lines comes to hand they my find
you all well,

answer Soone as this
come to hand

Yours truly

Jno Karshner

Recorded Sept 9th AD 1807 by Josp B. Northbury, Dep Registrar

Jacob and Mary(Poly) Kershner-Karshner

Jacob Kershner & Wife

Deed to

Elias Furman

Transcribed for Glenn Karshner

This indenture made the twenty seventh day of May in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred Seven between Jacob Kershner of Bloom township Northumberland County & State of Pennsylvania of the one part and Elias Furman of the State of New Jersey Huntington County & Alexandria Township of the other part Witnesseth that the said Jacob Kershner and Polly his wife for and in consideration of the sum of Seven Hundred Pounds lawful Money to them in hand paid by the said Elias Furman at and before the Ensealing and delivery hereof the Receipt whereof they do hereby Acknowledge and thereof do aquit and for ever discharge the said Elias Furman and his heirs, Executors, Agents &c. By these presents have granted bargained and sold aleined released conformed and by their presents do grant bargain sell alien in---- release and confirm unto the said Elias Furman and to his heirs and Assigns all that certain acreage and tract of land situated lying and being in Bloom Township Northumberland County & State aforesaid bounded and described as follows to wit: Beginning at a Red Oak standing on the bank of Susquehanna River thence by land of George Cooders North thirty two Degrees West one hundred seventy one perches to a post thence by land of John Crevlin South Fifty seven and a half Degrees West ninety two perches to a hickory thence by land now of Simon Wirtmans North thirty two Degrees East one hundred fifty perches to a post on the bank of Susquehanna River thence up said River North Seventy one Degrees and a half East Ninety three Perches to the place of beginning. Containing Ninety five acres and allowance of six percent for allowance of roads &c. It being part of one Hundred and Eighty eight Acres and Hundred and four perches and Allowance which was part

of Two Hundred and two acres and one hundred and sixty one perches of Land and the allowance of six Per Cent for roads &c. Which the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania by Patent Dated the 27th Day of July AD 1781 Recorded in the Rolls Office for the State of Pennsylvania in Patent Book No 1 page 20 & was granted unto Thomas Strawbridge in fee who by Indenture Dated the 16th Day of March AD 1801 for the consideration therein mentioned granted the same unto Christian Merkle in fee who with Polly his wife their Deed dated the 30th Day of March AD 1802 for the consideration therein mentioned granted the same unto Jacob Zoll in fee who by his Indenture Dated the 11th Day of April AD -- for the consideration therein mentioned granted the same unto Conrad Kershner in fee who by indenture bearing date the 28th Day of March AD 1803 for the consideration therein mentioned granted and confirmed the same unto him the above named Jacob Kershner his heirs & assigns party to these presents in fee simple together also with all and singular the houses, outhouses, Barns, Stables, Gardens, Orchards, Meadows, Fields, Fences, Ways, Woods, Water belonging or in anywise appertaining and the reversions and remainders starts issues and profits thereof and also all the Estate Right title use trust property profusion claim and whatsoever of them the said Jacob Kershner and Polly his wife in law or equity or otherwise of in or out of the same. To have and to hold the said meassurage and tract of land miscellaneous and premises hereby granted and released or mentioned or intended so to be with the appurtenances unto the said Elias Furman and his heirs & assigns. To the only proper use of him the said Elias Furman and his heirs and assigns for ever subject to all taxes to be paid which shall be due or become due thereon and the said Jacob Kershner and Polly his wife for themselves their heirs, executors or administrators do covenant promise grant and agree to and with the said Elias Furman and his heirs and assigns by these presents that they Jacob Kershner and Polly his wife and their heirs the said acreage and tract of land heredatents hereby granted or mentioned or intended so to be with

the appurtenances unto the said Elias Furman and his heirs & assigns and against them the said Jacob Kershner & Polly his wife and their heirs & assigns and against all al every other person or persons lawfully claiming or to claim the same or any part thereof shall and will warrant and for ever defend in witness whereof the parties to these presents have hereunto set their hands and seals. Dated the day and year first above written JACOB KERSHNER (SEAL) POLLY [X HER MARK] KERSHNER. Sealed and delivered in the presence of us GEO. BILLAS GEO. VANCE. Received the day of the date of the above written indenture from the above named Elias Furman the sum of seven hundred pounds lawful money it being full considerations money above mentioned. I say received by me Jacob Kershner, witness present George Vance Northumberland County.

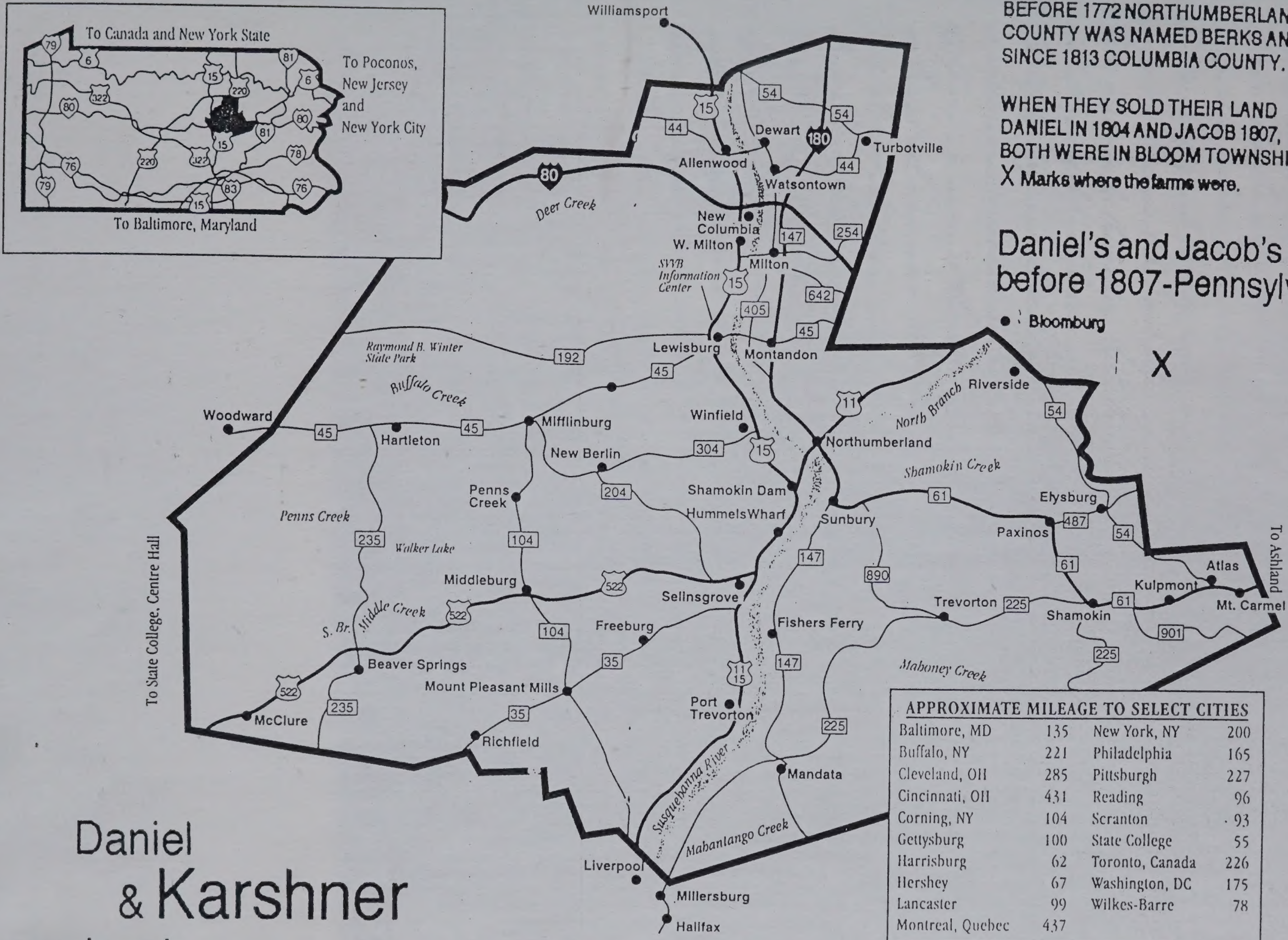
Before me the subscriber, one of the Justices of the peace for said County, came the above named Jacob Kershner & Polly his wife and in due form of Law Acknowledged the Above written indenture to be their act and deed and desired the same might be recorded as such she the said Polly being apart from her Husband by me examined and consenting there to witness my hand and seal the day & year above written Geo. Billas [SEAL]

Susquehanna Valley

BEFORE 1772 NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY WAS NAMED BERKS AND SINCE 1813 COLUMBIA COUNTY.

WHEN THEY SOLD THEIR LAND DANIEL IN 1804 AND JACOB 1807, BOTH WERE IN BLOOM TOWNSHIP
X Marks where the farms were.

Daniel's and Jacob's farms before 1807-Pennsylvania.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Richfield
Port Trevorton
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Susquehanna River
Mahantango Creek
Liverpool
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Baltimore, MD	135	New York, NY	200
Buffalo, NY	221	Philadelphia	165
Cleveland, OH	285	Pittsburgh	227
Cincinnati, OH	431	Reading	96
Corning, NY	104	Scranton	93
Gettysburg	100	State College	55
Harrisburg	62	Toronto, Canada	226
Hershey	67	Washington, DC	175
Lancaster	99	Wilkes-Barre	78
Montreal, Quebec	437		

Daniel
& Karshner
Jacob

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Exd

Samuel Bliss &ux
Deed to
John Buyers Esquire

Recorded September [illegible] 1809 pr [illegible]

This Indenture made the [illegible] day of September Anno Domini eighteen hundred & nine Between [illegible] of [illegible] in the State of North Carolina and Elizabeth his wife late Elizabeth [illegible] of [illegible] late of the Town of Sunbury in the County of Northumberland dec. of the one part And John Buyers of the Borough of Sunbury [illegible] in the State of Pennsylvania Esquire of the other part Witnesseth that the said [illegible] for and in consideration of One hundred Dollars lawful money [illegible] to them in hand paid by the said John Buyers Have granted bargained sold and by [illegible] do grant bargain and sell unto the said John Buyers his Heirs and Assigns All [illegible] undivided half part of an out Lot of the said Borough Number [illegible] [illegible] being part or parcel of the same out Lot [illegible] the attorney Anthony [illegible] by Indenture bearing date the [illegible] for the consideration therein mentioned did grant and confirm [illegible] his heirs and Assigns. And the said Christian Gettig died having [illegible] his last Will [illegible] bearing date the fourteenth day of August Anno Domini 1797 [illegible] the [illegible] day of [illegible] in the year last afores. which said last Will is duly proved [illegible] in the Register's Office for County of Northumberland at large appears [illegible] Will & Codicil did among other Specific devises order and direct in the following words to wit: as in my said last Will and Testament hereunto annexed I have given & devised to my said Son H

and will Warrant and forever defend by these presents. In witness whereof the said parties to these presents have hereunto set their hands and Seals the day and year first aforesaid. Thomas Harlan (Seal) Anne Harlan her X mark (Seal) Sealed and Delivered in the presence of Daniel Rohrer Joseph Fichner Received the day of the date of the within written Indenture of and from the within named John Boust the sum of three hundred Dollars it being the Consideration within mentioned in full I say rec'd pr me Thomas Harlan Witness Present Daniel Rohrer Joseph Fichner $300 Northumber and County ss. On the 29th day of April 1809 before me the subscriber one of the Justices of the Peace in and for the said County Came Thomas Harlan and Anne his Wife and acknowledged the within Indenture to be for their Act and Deed and desired that the same might be recorded as such according to law She the said Anne being of full age separate & apart from her said Husband by me examined and the full contents made known to her voluntarily consenting thereto. In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day & year first aforesaid Joseph Fichner (Seal)

Recorded Sept. 9th A.D. 1809 pr Seth Norbury [illegible]

Jacob Kiersnar & Wife
Deed to
Elias Furman

This Indenture Made the Twenty Seventh day of May in the year of our Lord one Thousand Eight Hundred & Seven between Jacob Kiershner of Bloom Township Northumberland County & State of Pennsylvania of the one part and Elias Furman of the State of New Jersey Huntington County & Alexandria Township of the other part Witnesseth that the said Jacob Kiershner and Polly his wife for and in Consideration of the sum of Seven Hundred Pounds lawful Money to them in hand paid by the said Elias Furman at and before the Ensealing and delivery hereof the Receipt whereof they do hereby Acknowledge and thereof do acquit and forever discharge the said Elias Furman and his Heirs Executors Admrs by these presents have granted bargained and sold aliened released Confirmed and by these presents do grant Bargain sell alien enfeoff release and confirm unto the said Elias Furman and to his heirs and Assigns all that Certain Messuage and tract of Land Situate lying and being in Bloom township Northumberland County & State aforesaid Bounded and described as follows to wit Beginning at a Red oak standing on the Bank of Susquehanna River thence by Land of George Coder North thirty two Degrees West one Hundred & twenty one Perches to a Post thence by Land of John Cowling South Fifty seven and half Degrees West Ninety two perches to a hickory thence by Land now of Simon Hartman North thirty two degrees East one hundred and fifty Perches to a post on the bank of Susquehanna River thence up said River North Seventy one Degrees and a half East Ninety three Perches to the Place of Beginning Containing Ninety five Acres & Allowance of six pr Cent for allowance of Roads &c It being part of one Hundred and Eighty eight Acres and Hundred four Perches and Allowance which was part of Two Hundred and two acres and one hundred and sixty one perches of Land and the allowance of six Per Cent for Roads which the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania by Patent Dated the 27th Day of July AD 1781 Recorded in the Rolls office for the State of Pennsylvania in Patent Book 1 page 206 was granted unto Thomas Stambridge in fee who by Indenture Dated the 16th day of March AD 1801 for the Consideration therein Mentioned granted the same unto Christian Markle in fee who with Polly his by their Deed dated the 30th day of March AD 1802 for the consideration therein mentioned granted the same unto Jacob Hall in fee who by his Indendenture Dated the 11th day of April AD for the consideration therein mentioned granted the same unto Conrad Kiersnar in fee who by Indenture bearing date the 28th Day of March AD 1803 for the consideration therein mentioned granted and confirmed the same unto him the above named Jacob Kiersnar his heirs &c and Assigns fully to their friends in fee simple together also with all and singular the

perches [illegible] and strict computation be the same more or less together with all and singular the buildings improvements meadows marshes woods underwoods ways waters watercourses fisheries liberties profits advantages hereditaments and appurtenances whatsoever thereunto belonging or in any wise appurtaining and the reversions and remainders rents issues and profits thereof And also all the estate right title interest property claim and demand whatsoever of him the said James Hunter either in Law Equity or otherwise of in and to the said premises or any part or parcel thereof To have and to hold all and singular the premises hereby bargained and sold or mentioned or intended so to be with the appurtenances unto the said Jacob Miller his Heirs and assigns to the only proper Use and Behoof of him the said Jacob Miller his Heirs and Assigns forever. And the said James Hunter for himself his Heirs executors and administrators doth covenant promise and agree to and with the said Jacob Miller his Heirs and Assigns by these presents that he the said James Hunter and his heirs the said above mentioned and described tract of land hereditaments and premises hereby sold or mentioned or intended so to be with the appurtenances unto the said Jacob Miller his heirs & Assigns against him the said James Hunter and his Heirs and against all and every other person or persons whomsoever having or lawfully claiming or to claim any estate right title or interest by from or under him them or any of them shall and will Warrant and forever Defend. And further that he the said James Hunter and his Heirs and all and every other person and Persons lawfully claiming or to claim by from or under him them or any of them shall and will from time to time and at all times hereafter upon the reasonable request and at the proper costs and charges in the Law of the said Jacob Miller his heirs and Assigns make do and execute or procure to be made done and executed all and every such further and other lawful and reasonable Act or Acts Deed or Deeds Devise or Devises in the Law for the further better more perfect & absolute assurance and Confirmation of the said Tract of land hereditaments and premises hereby sold or mentioned or intended so to be with the appurtenances unto the said Jacob Miller his heirs and assigns as by him or them or by his or their Counsel learned in the Law shall be reasonably and legally devised advised or required. In Witness whereof the said Parties to these Presents have hereunto interchangeably set their Hands and Seals the day and Year first above written. James Hunter (Seal) Sealed & Delivered in the Presence of us Maskell Ewing, Saml. Mechlin. On the twenty fourth Day of April A D 1806 Personally appeared before me Bird Wilson Esquire President of the Court of Common Pleas for the seventh District James Hunter the grantor in the within Deed and acknowledged the same to be his Act and Deed and desired the same may be recorded as such. Witness my Hand and Seal the date above written Bird Wilson (Seal) Recd the day of the date of the within Indenture from the party of the Second part the Consideration mentioned therein for the Premises _ James Hunter — (Ex) Recorded 23d day of August A.D. 1806 [illegible]

This Indenture Made the fourteenth day of April in the Year of our Lord one thousand [illegible] hundred and six Between Daniel Kershner of Bloom Township in the County of Northum[illegible] and State of Pennsylvania and Nancy his Wife of the one part and George Hider of [illegible]thampton County and State aforesaid of the other part Witnesseth that the said Daniel [illegible] and Nancy his Wife for and in Consideration of the sum of [illegible] Pounds to [illegible] paid by the said George Hider at and before the ensealing and delivery [illegible]

Receipt whereof. They do hereby Acknowledge, and thereof Acquit and forever discha
the said the said George Ruder his Heirs Executors and Administrators by these p
have granted, bargained, sold, Aliend, enfeoffed, released and confirmed, and by these p
sents do grant, bargain, sell, Alien, enfeoff, release and confirm unto the said Georg
and to his Heirs and Assigns, all that certain Tract or parcel Land Situate lying a
being in Bloom Township in Northumberland County aforesaid Bounded and d
-cribed as follows to wit, Beginning at a Whiteoak Corner Standing on the Bank
Susquehanna River thence by Land of John Klingman North thirty two Degrees and a
half West, one hundred and Ninety four perches to a Red oak thence by Land of Jo
-than Moore South fifty seven degrees & a half West ninety four perches to a post thence
Land of Jacob Kirshner South thirty two degrees East one hundred seventy one perches &
tenths of a perch to a Red Oak on the the Bank of the River Susquehanna aforesaid ther
up the same the several courses thereof ninety eight perches to the place of Beginning Cont
-ning one hundred and two acres and thirty five perches & the Allowance of six per C
for Roads &c. it being part of one hundred and eighty eight acres & one hundred and four per
of Land and Allowance of six per Cent for Roads &c. which was part of two hundred and
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Wife by their Indenture dated the 28th day of March A. Domini 1803 for the consideration
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Heirs and Assigns, party thereto in fee. Together with all and singular the houses, Outhouses
buildings, ways, woods, waters, water-courses, rights Liberties, priveledges, hereditaments a
appurtenances whatsoever thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining. And the Revers
and remainders Rents, Issues and profits thereof; and also all the Estate, Right, Title, I
-rest, Use, Trust, property, possession, Claim and demand whatsoever of them the said Dan
Kirshner and Nancy his Wife in Law or equity, or otherwise howsoever, of, in, to, or out
same. To have and to hold the said Tract or parcel of Land containing one hundr
two acres, thirty five perches of Land and Allowance of six Acres P. Cent for Roads &c. Here
ments and premises hereby granted and released, or mentioned or Intended so to be wi
the appurtenances, unto the said George Ruder and his Heirs and assigns, to the only proper us
Benefit and behoof of him the said George Ruder his Heirs and Assigns forever. And the said D
Kirshner for himself his Heirs, Executors and Administrators doth covenant, promise grant a
agree to and with the said George Ruder his Heirs and Assigns by these presents, That he the
Daniel Kirshner and his Heirs the said above mentioned and described Tract or parcel
Land containing one hundred and two acres thirty five perches of Land & allowance,

part or parcel thereof shall and will Warrant and forever Defend by these presents. In Witness whereof the said parties to these presents have hereunto Interchangeably set their Hands and seals Dated the day and year first above Written Daniel Karshner (Seal) Nancy her X mark Kishner (Seal) Sealed and Delivered in the presence of us Geo. Billas Samuel Webb junr. Received on the day of the Date of the within Written Indenture of the above named George Kieder the sum of Seven hundred Pounds it being the Consideration money above Mentioned Daniel Karshner Witness present at Signing Geo. Billas Samuel Webb jr. Northumberland County ss. On the date of the within Written Indenture Before me the Subscriber one of the Justices of the peace in and for the said County came Daniel Kirsner and Nancy his Wife the Grantors within named and in due form of Law Acknowledged the within Written Indenture to be their act and deed & desired the same might be Recorded as such according to Law [illegible] the said Nancy being apart from her said Husband by me Examined and Consenting thereto. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and year first within written Geo. Billas (Seal) (6) Recorded the 23rd day of August A.D. 1806. p Robt. Gray D. Rr.

This Indenture made the twenty first day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and six between Joseph Graham and Rosina his wife late Rosina Rubenthal administratrix of all and singular the goods and chattels rights and credits which were of Jacob Rubenthal late of the Borough of Sunbury in the county of Northumberland and state of Pennsylvania deceased at the time of his death who died intestate of the one part and George D B Keim of the Borough of Reading in the county of Berks & state aforesaid Merchant of the other part Whereas the said Jacob Rubenthall was in his life time seized in his demesne as of fee of and in the lot or piece of Ground herein after particularly mentioned and died so thereof seized intestate after hose death to wit at an Orphans court held at Sunbury for the county of Northumberland the thirtieth f June last the said Joseph Graham and Rosina his wife administratrix aforesaid did prefer their petitions to the Justices of the said Orphans court setting forth therein that the personal estate of he said Jacob Rubenthall deceased was not sufficient to pay and satisfy his debts and praying an rder of the said Court to sell two certain lots of ground to wit No 33 and 38 of the real estate of the said Intestate in the Borough of Sunbury to enable them to pay the same which said petition being taken to consideration by the said court and the matter therein contained appearing to be true it was then and ere ordered by the said Court that Joseph Graham and Rosina his wife administratrix afore ould be at liberty to sell the said lot of ground No 38 of the real estate of the said Intestate for the urpose aforesaid and make return of their proceedings therein to the next court. And whereas the aid Joseph Graham and Rosina his wife administratrix aforesaid in pursuance of the aforesaid der by virtue of an act of general Assembly of the said State did (after due public and timely ice by them given of the time and place of sale according to the directions of the same act) on e day and time therein mentioned expose the aforesaid Lot No 38 to sale by public vendue outcry and sold the same to the said George D B K

2005, Kershner - Karshner Ohio News Letter

You are invited to the Kershner, Karshner Reunion

Where? The Old Dutch Restaurant
12791 St. Rt. 664, Logan, Ohio 43138
Located at Ohio Rt. 33 & 664 in Logan across from Wal-Mart.

When? October 9th, 2005, **Time** 12:00, P.M.

Same place as last Reunion, in our own room down stairs. What will we eat? Carved Honey Baked Ham, Broasted Chicken, Mashed Potatoes/Gravy, Baked Ziti, Chicken & Noodles, Green Beans,Tossed Salad, Rolls, Assorted Pies.

Price: $14.00 per person, $7.00 children 12 or younger.

We must know how many are coming and checks must be received no later than September, 30th. The sooner the better.

Send checks or money order made out to:

Karshner Reunion
13521 Hildebrandt Rd.
Logan, Ohio 43138

Any questions call Glenn A. Karshner 1-740-380-1800

Did you circle the date Oct. 9th. on your calendar for this years Kershner & Karshner Reunion? Last spring post cards were sent to remind you of the date of the Reunion. Twenty eight, (28) cards were returned because of change of address. Because of the returned post cards, *Call a relative or Invite a family member to this years reunion.* Your attendance is important, so remember to send us address changes. Help build family memories.

Future Reunions. Our reunions are held every two years with 2007 marking the 200th. anniversary of the Karshner brothers moving to Ohio. On June the 6th. 1807 Daniel Karshner (1772-1852) with wife Nancy Ann, (Mary Davis) 1777-1845, with sons Daniel Jr., Elijha and John, along with Jacob Karshner (1775-1863) and wife Polly, (Mary Dunkelberger) 1778-1860, and their children arrived from Northumberland County, Pennsylvania. It was on a Saturday when they arrived and permanently settled in Saltcreek Valley, now Hocking County, Ohio. To celebrate this anniversary , two hundred years to the day, on Saturday June 6th. 2007 our Family Reunion will be held in Saltcreek Valley, near Laurelville, Ohio.

With information received from our Reunions family members can apply for membership with, " Sons or Daughters of the American Revolution," and "The First Families of Ohio." You are entitled though, Conrad Kershner Jr. 1744-1813, (D.A.R.) and Daniel & Jacob, (F.O.F.). We have rich ancestral history to give our children to carry on the tradition of the Kershner's and Karshner's to share with future generations. Bring a child or grandchild, niece or nephew to our next reunion and learn about our family and how to join these organizations. More information will follow in the next News Letter about the special 200th anniversary celebration. Mark your calendars, ***REUNION June 6, 2007 !***

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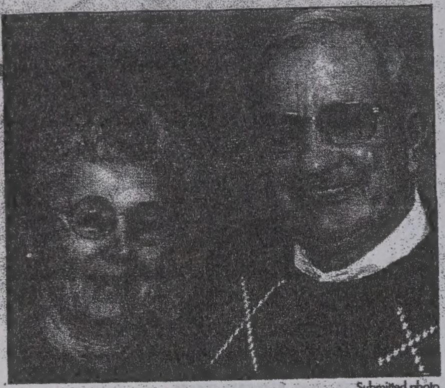
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Harold "Sam" and Eileen Nihiser, 27899 SR 180, Rockbridge, are celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary today with a buffet dinner at 6 p.m. at Lee's Banquet Haus. Entertainment will be provided by the Audie Wykle Band and Jeff Hunter. Sam and the former Eileen Karshner were married Feb. 14, 1954, at Fairview United Methodist Church by the Rev. R.D. Kitzman and the Rev. Roy Crawford. They are the parents of six children: Hal (Terri) Nihiser of Rockbridge; Scott Nihiser, who is deceased; Max (Christy) Nihiser of Milford; John Nihiser of Baltimore, Md.; Kate Nihiser of Milford; and Kurt (Gretchen) Nihiser of Lancaster. They also have nine grandchildren. Sam retired from the Logan-Hocking School District and Eileen retired from the Hocking County Auditor's Office.

FAMILY NEWS, 2005

MARIE KARSHNER

Marie Karshner, 92, of Rockbridge died Sept. 12, 2003, at Logan Health Care Center in Logan. She was born to the late William W. Edwards and Sarah Elizabeth Elick Edwards Aug. 1, 1911, in Hocking County. She was a member of the Fairview United Methodist Church and a 1928 graduate of Laurelville High School.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Lowell Karshner, who passed away Sept. 13, 1990; son, Paul Lowell Karshner Jr.; grandson, Scott Nihiser; granddaughter, Robyn Karshner; brothers, Harold and Norman Edwards; sister, Cecilene Bennett, Thelma Kerns, Flossie Swackhammer and Audrey Reid.

She is survived by daughters and sons-in-law, Eileen and Harold Nihiser Jr. of Rockbridge, Marlene J. Riddle of Laurelville and Joyce and Rod Glenn of Lancaster; sister, Donabelle Tisdale of Laurelville; grandchildren, Hal (Terri) Nihiser, Max (Christy) Nihiser, John (Vickie Stein) Nihiser, Kurt (Gretchen) Nihiser, Kate Nihiser, Blaine (Lanna) Glenn, Rory (Dean) Gloyd and Paul (Kim) Karshner and; 14 great grandchildren.

Barbara Jean Fletcher, Jan. 1, 1931-June 7, 2002

Barbara was 71, of Crawfordsville, In., died 7:00 a.m. Friday in her home. Mrs. Fletcher was a 1948 Crawfordsville High School graduate. She was born in Crawfordsville, to Homer and Virginia Weikel Karshner. She married Max A. Fletcher on Dec. 16, 1950. Survivors include two sons, Dr. Gary D. Fletcher. Philadelphia, Pa. and Mark A. St. Louis, Mo. A brother, Robert Karshner. is deceased. Burial was at, Oak Hill Cemetery, Crawfordsville.

Kenneth D. Karshner, 76, died Tuesday, Sept. 3rd. 2002, in St. Luke Hospital, Cedar Rapids, folllowing a longtime battle woth cancer. Services were held at the Lovely Lane United Methodist Church in Cedar Rapids. Entombment at Cedar Memorial Park Cenenery.

Kenneth was born Nov. 7, 1925, in Crawfordsvill. In., the son of Homer Karshner and Virginia Wiekel Karshner. He married Donna Nichols on 12 Nov. 1947, in Oakwood, Ill. Kenneth was owner of the Sirloin'N Brew restaurant and the former district sales manager of Sealtesr Foods. He was a menber of Masonic Blue Lodge, El Kahir Shrine, SCORE and the past president of the Kiwanis. He served in the Army Air Corps during World War II. Ken enjoyed building clocks, woodworking and crossword.

Survivors include wife Donna of 54 years, son Ken Karshner of Cedar Rapids, Susie Karshner of Fort Wayne, Barbara Maynard of Ankeny, Marsha Smith of California, six grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Beverly A Karshnr Fortune

December 19, 1948-February 11, 2004

Because of my love for my friend Beverly Fortune and my love for the written word, I have decided to 'bare a piece of my soul' for all to read. Thi is very personal to me and very difficult for me to share. I wrote it initially a therapy for myself, but was convinced to share it as a tribute to Bev. Bev an I have worked together for nearly nine years and a piece of me is now missing. She was taken from us on Feb. 11, after a mighty fight against cancer, and we are now left to deal with and accept this great loss in our live

Bev was the type of person that some people would call a 'rare breed' or 'on of a kind.' I have to admit that I have never met anyone quite like her. Fron my perspective, these are insignificant, yet very accurate descriptions of her. She was one of the most kind-hearted, energetic and intelligent people that I knew. She greeted us warmly every morning and she had a special bond with each one of us at the clinic. Special on an individual level… this is so rare today. Bev was sympathetic and caring, persistent and strong-willed, and as funny as can be. She had these charming southern 'quips' that made us all smile and they rolled off her tongue as innocently as she truly was. "Slick as a ribbon" was one that was commonly heard, and we always smiled, no matter what the context of the conversation.

Bev always had a drawer full of candy, or she would have a craving for 'a' piece of chocolate and would bring in three or four bags for everyone to share – whether we needed it or not. And for the most part, not! But, chocolate is always appreciated. This was more evident than I realized, since at her funeral there wer dishes of sweets for everyone to enjoy; of course at Bev's request.

We had barely tapped into all the information that God stored in this beautiful person. Bev seemed to know every aspect of coding and what she wasn't positive about, she read and learned about or worked with colleagues on until she felt comfortable with the answer. Bev was a wealth of knowledge and was so sure of her work that everyone in the office felt comfortable going to her with questions. She was an incredible person that we learned to be complacent with and take for granted, just as we do other important people in our lives. I believe that most people truly don't appreciate all they have until it is abruptly taken away from them. Bev has been taken away from us physically… but her strong faith in God took her into paradise and this is her celebration.

I pray that God will shield her family and friends, and help us to deal with her death. I pray that we can learn to adapt and fill that void that we will now have in our hearts and our lives. I pray that Affinity will continue to do well, based on the information that she has already shared with us. This would be a continuing legacy to her… She will be greatly missed by everyone she knew. May she rest in peace.

Bev's best friend, Amy Bangart

Beverly A. Fortune age 55 c
2691 Hwy 114 in Hilbert die
fter a courageous 11-year battl
vith ovarian cancer o
Vednesday February 11, 2004 a
er home in Hilbert with family
y her side.
She was born December 19,
948 in Columbus, OH daughter
f the late Frank & Anne (Lasala)
arshner. Bev worked for Affinity
ledical Group for 15 years and
vas a Certified Professional
oder through coursework at Fox
alley Technical College with
ertification from the American
rofessional Coders Academy.
Survivors include her husband
ill; her children: Mindy (Todd)
idde, Jerry (Peggy) Fortune,
rent (Jessica) Fortune, and
rian Fortune; 5 granddaughters:
licia, Kristin, Alexis, Justice, and
livia; her mother-in-law: Blanche
ortune of Virginia; brother:
rank Karshner and Nephew
rank Karshner Jr. of Columbus,
H. She is further survived by
nany other family and dear
riends.
Funeral services for Bev will be
t 7:00 PM on Monday February
6, 2004 at Wieting Family
uneral Home (411 W. Main St.)
n Chilton with the Rev. Ronald J.
annan Sr. officiating.
Burial will be in Craigsville
lemorial Cemetery in Craigsville,
A. Friends may call at the
uneral home from 4 – 7:00 PM
vhen services will be held. A
nemorial fund has been
stablished in the name of
everly A. Fortune.
Wieting Family Funeral Home is
ssisting the family with
rrangements.

Beverly asked her daughter Mindy to drive from their home in Wisconsin t last Karshner Reunion in 2003. When we saw her our hearts sank, she w scarf around her head and looked somewhat thin. She wasn't strong enoug stay for the whole Reunion, being weak from cancer treatment. Her effort long be remembered in our hearts. Beverly never looked more beautiful. and missed by the Karshner Reunion family.

Nellie Covey, 88, of Haviland, Ohio died at 9:20 p.m. Friday, January 16, 2004, at Convoy Care Center, Convoy, Ohio. She was born Feb. 6, 1915 in Paulding County, Ohio the daughter of Jay and Ara M. (Ried) Gunderman. On June 27, 1941 she married Thomas T. Covey, who preceded her in death on Sept. 12, 1993.

Nellie retied from Blue Creek School and also worked at the Haviland Post Office. A member of the United Methodist Church in Haviland. being very active in church. She loved genealogy and Kershner-Karshner history, descending from Jacob Karshner, Nellie spoke at our reunions more than once.

The Rev. Deborah Frysinger officiated at her funeral, burial was at the Blue Creek Cemetery, Haviland, Ohio.

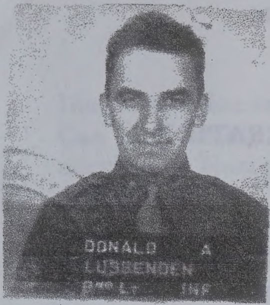
Survivors include, son James T. Covey Van Wert, Oh., Daughter Celesta (Robert) Oberlin of Styker, Ohio, two grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. She will be missed my her Family Reunion Family as well.

Corabelle Karshner, 96, passed away Sunday March 14, 2004, at Lutheran Village in Columbus, Ohio. She was born May 18, 1907, in Ross County, Ohio, the daughter of the late Pearl and Minnie (Leasure) Hutchison. She was a member on St. John Lutheran Church and retired from Ohio Nation Bank. Preceided in death by husband Rolland Karshner in 1986. Survived by daughter Joan & David Warner, grandchildren, Donna & Richard Aldridge, great-grandchildren and many special friends. Graveside service was held at Green Summit Cemetery, Adelphi, Ohio.

Henrietta Karshner, 90, of Cannel Winchester, Ohio, died December 18, 2004 in Circleville, Ohio. Born March 30, 1914 in Columbus to the late Henry & Etta (Randel) Arnel. She was retired from Federal Glass after 30 years service. Preceded in death by husband of 62 years, Noah, (Hap) Karshner. Survived by daughters, Norma, Nina, Ervin, Karen and many grandchildren, eight great-grandchildren and five great-great-grandchildren.

Joan E. Karshner, (Blosser) 78, of Lake Isabella, California passed away May 2, 2004 at the Kern Hospital. Survived by husband George, children, Steven, Georgeann and Ann. Including many brothers & sisters and special friends.

Elizabeth Newman Karshner, 85, of Buchtel, Ohio on January 28, 2005. Wife of James R. Karshner. Interment was at Greenlawn Cemetery, Nelsonville, Ohio. Pastor David Shoemaker officiated.



LUSSENDEN, Donald A., Age 83, June 9, 2004. Beloved husband of Lucy. Loving father of Ken (Connie), Garrett, Debra (Regis) Rusnock and Patricia Smith. Dear brother of Joyce (Jim) Bingman and the late Robert (Sandy). Survived by nine grandchildren and one great-grandson. Decorated Veteran, POW, WWII and wounded in Korea. Recipient of the Bronze Star and Purple Heart. Retired from Ford Motor Company after 40 years. Visitation Thursday 6-8 p.m., and Friday 2-8 p.m. at the Harry J. Will Funeral Home, 37000 Six Mile Road, Livonia. Funeral services Saturday 10 a.m. at the funeral home. Burial at Glen Eden Cemetery in Livonia.

Don enlisted in the Army on December 8, 1941, the day after Pearl Harbor was attacked. After receiving his Commission at Ft. Benning in November 1942, Don was sent to North Africa He served with Company K, 26th Inf. Regiment, 1st Infantry Division in the Battle of Troina, Sicilian Campaign when he was captured on August 3, 1943. After a short stay in Moosburg 7A and interrogation in Luckenwald, Don was sent to Oflag 64.

Don kept busy at Oflag 64 during the first six months there by working in the tailor shop. In his book Don says, "In the tailor shop I altered the olive drab enlisted men's dress uniforms to fit the individual officers." When the call went out for a book binder to help restore the camp library books, Don volunteered. He became known as "Der Gnome," and spent most of his time in his little workshop in the attic of the White House repairing and rebinding the books. Part of his responsibility in the camp was to conceal and retrieve contraband for the intelligence officers. This contraband was hidden between the walls of the White House which could only be reached by climbing to the peak of the roof rafters and dropping a line down with a "hook" to retrieve the items requested. All of this by a slight, short fellow who was afraid of heights!

On a bitterly cold January 21, 1945, Don and the other POWs joined the long line of German ethnic civilians in the march toward the west and away from the oncoming Russians from the east. The snow was deep and the roads were frozen. The POWs slept in barns and waited in long lines for their one meal of the day. They marched for more than six weeks until March 9, 1945, when the men arrived at Oflag XIII B in Hammelburg.

It was at Hammelburg that Abe Baum and his column of men, tanks and half-tracks arrived on March 27, 1945, to liberate the American POWs. Gen. Patton had ordered that a task force of 294 men be sent about 60 miles behind enemy lines to Hammelburg to liberate what he thought was a group of about 300 POWs. By the time Commander Baum arrived at Hammelburg with his Task Force, he had lost a number of men and vehicles. He realized that he did not have the manpower or equipment needed to liberate the hundreds of men who were there. Captain Baum invited as many of the POWs who wanted to join him to jump on the vehicles or otherwise accompany his task force back to American lines. Don jumped on a half-track and held on for dear life as the men began to make their way back through the forest to safety. Unfortunately, a Panzer training school was nearby and, hearing the commotion of vehicles, rushed to Oflag XIII B and surrounded the task force and POWs. After several attempts to escape, several vehicles were blown up and many of Baum's men and the POWs were either killed or wounded. The rest of Baum's men were captured and marched back to camp along with the other POWs. Abe Baum, himself, was wounded and captured. A few days later, on April 4th, the POWs were put on trains to Nurnberg. Three days later they were on the march again, towards Camp VII A at Moosburg, just west of Munich.

On April 29, 1945, the American forces liberated the POWs in VII A. Shortly afterwards, Don and the others were flown to Camp Lucky Strike, fattened up and debriefed, and placed on ships for the ride home.

After returning home from the war, Don took advantage of the G.I. Bill and enrolled in school. He graduated from Wayne State University in Detroit and enrolled in Graduate School at the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor. During this time he married, returned to work at Ford Motor Company, where he worked for 40 years until retirement, and built a house in Ann Arbor. In 1950, he was recalled to service (pulled right out of Graduate school) and sent to Korea. Don was wounded in October 1951, and later returned home to raise three children.

Don's marriage ended in divorce in 1961, and he was given custody of his children, ages 10, 6, and 4. He met Lucy while they both worked at Ford, and they were married on January 20, 1962. Lucy's daughter, age 6, fit right in with Don's three children. They moved into their present home in Livonia in 1963.

Don suffered from many illnesses. He was diagnosed with sleep apnea and diabetes in about 1980. Gradually the diabetes led to many other medical problems, such as heart disease, neuropathy, circulatory problems and glaucoma. He was hospitalized on May 25th for the removal of an ulcerated, malignant colon polyp. He seemed to be doing very well and was given solid food to eat on May 31st. Unfortunately the next morning the doctors felt that Don was having respiratory problems and intubated him. A combination of being intubated and receiving so many medicines, including morphine, finally led to the failure of Don's kidneys and heart at 5:20 a.m. on June 9th.

Don was a good and kind man who was loved by many. He enjoyed a wonderful life together with Lucy. He and Lucy traveled widely in the United States, Canada, and Europe with their family and friends. A beautiful tribute was given by one of his young friends at Don's funeral. Don will be greatly missed by his loving wife and family, including our Oflag 64 family. His absence will be felt in the hearts of many.

This tribute was given at Don Lussenden's funeral on June 12, 2004.

AN AMERICAN HERO OF THE GREATEST GENERATION

My name is Jay Tucker. My wife, Margo, and I first met Don and Lucy almost 30 years ago. We were a young family moving from Chicago to Detroit with a baby daughter, one on the way, and we knew nary a soul in Detroit. Since everyone here knows Don and Lucy, you've probably already guessed that they took us under their wing and eased the transition into our new life here in Detroit.

When something would break, there was Don at the door with his toolbox. When one baby in diapers became two, there was Lucy at the door helping shepherd Margo and the girls on a shopping excursion. When we were away from our families at Christmas, Don and Lucy shared their home and their family with us; Grandpa John on the violin and Don running to the cellar for another bottle of home made hooch.

We are here today to remember and celebrate the life of a truly extraordinary man. Moreover, extraordinary to each of us in a different way. As a husband, father, grandfather, genealogist, author, photographer, gardener, plumber, and maker of fine wines; to name but only a few. Don had more interests than the Tigers have baseballs.

Don was many things to many people. To me, he was not only a friend, but also a mentor, particularly in my early days at Ford. But most of all, to me, Don was a hero. A bright and shining example of how a man should live his life.

Not long ago, Tom Brokaw wrote a book titled *The Greatest Generation*. A compendium of stories about the men and women who served in World War II. Stories not just about their war years, but about their lives.

While Don's story was not one of them, it should have been, because Don's life was emblematic of the courage, conviction, character, and humility of all these veterans embodied throughout their lives.

In his book, Tom Brokaw was doing more than just telling us the story of people's lives, he was telling us where to find our heroes, our bright and shining examples of how to live our lives. He was telling us that as a society, our judgment and values are badly misplaced when our heroes are the hitters of 70 homeruns, Oscar winning actors, and billionaire titans of industry.

Don Lussenden is my hero, and would have been Tom Brokaw's as well. Can you possibly imagine the courage and conviction it must have taken to survive the Nazi prisoner-of-war camps?

Do you have any idea how much courage and conviction it takes to stand up for an employee, like Don did so many times, and demand justice on their behalf in the face of an angry boss who holds your family's livelihood in his hands.

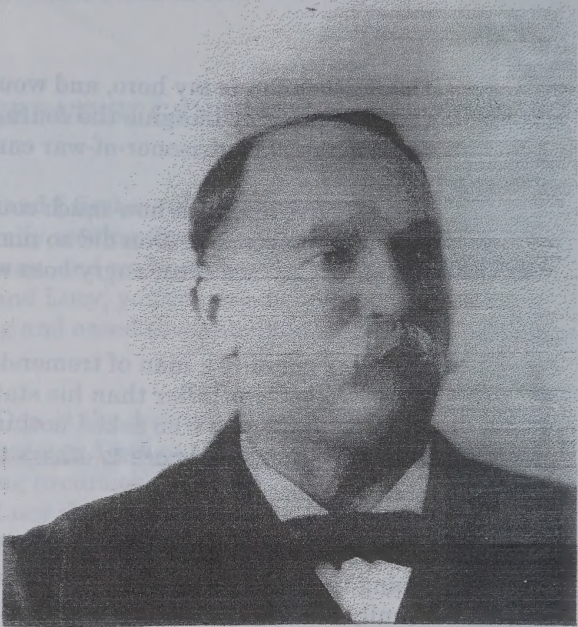
Don was not only a man of tremendous courage and conviction, but a man whose heart was taller than his stature. A man of impeccable character, dignity, and grace who asked nothing more from life than to have the opportunity to give more to others than he knew he would ever receive, and that was just fine by Don.

Don's life was never about seeking fame or fortune; Don's life was about doing the right thing. The right thing for his country, the right thing for his family, the right thing for his friends, and the right thing in the eyes of all those whose lives he touched........and he did it well. But Don was wiser than most of us because he knew that the legacy of our lives is not judged by what we get out of life, but rather by what we put into it.

Don Lussenden, my friend, my mentor........an American hero of the greatest generation. So long old soldier, and Godspeed on your new journey.

The Parochial School of Zion's Windsor Castle in Wernerrsville, Pennsylvania where Daniel and Jacob Kershner received their early education. The courses of study were reading, spelling, writing, geography, arithmetic and German. All subjects were taught in English.

Do you have pictures to share??



Nelson Karshner, born in Perry Township, Hocking Count
March 25, 1839, is a son of John and Elizabeth (Spangler) Kars
ner. His mother was a daughter of Samuel Spangler, who repr
sented Fairfield County, Ohio, in the Legislature and Sena
twenty-one years. Nov. 2, 1862, Mr. Karshner married Anni
daughter of Jacob and Mary (Ebert) Hostler. They have had eig
children, four sons and two daughters now living. After his ma
riage Mr. Karshner settled on a portion of his father's farm whe
he still resides. In 1878 he bought 154 acres of fine land.
was elected Township Treasurer in 1864 and has held the office
re-election till the present time, this being his nineteenth year.

Sam
Dan
Nelson

Karen Karshner

KIRSCHNERS WHO CAME TO AMERICA
RECORDS FROM PALATINATE SOCIETY, DR. FRITZ BRAUN, AND MAX STEINBAUR
CHART OCTOBER 1978 by RUTH BOWNDS KERSHNER, AUSTIN, TEXAS.

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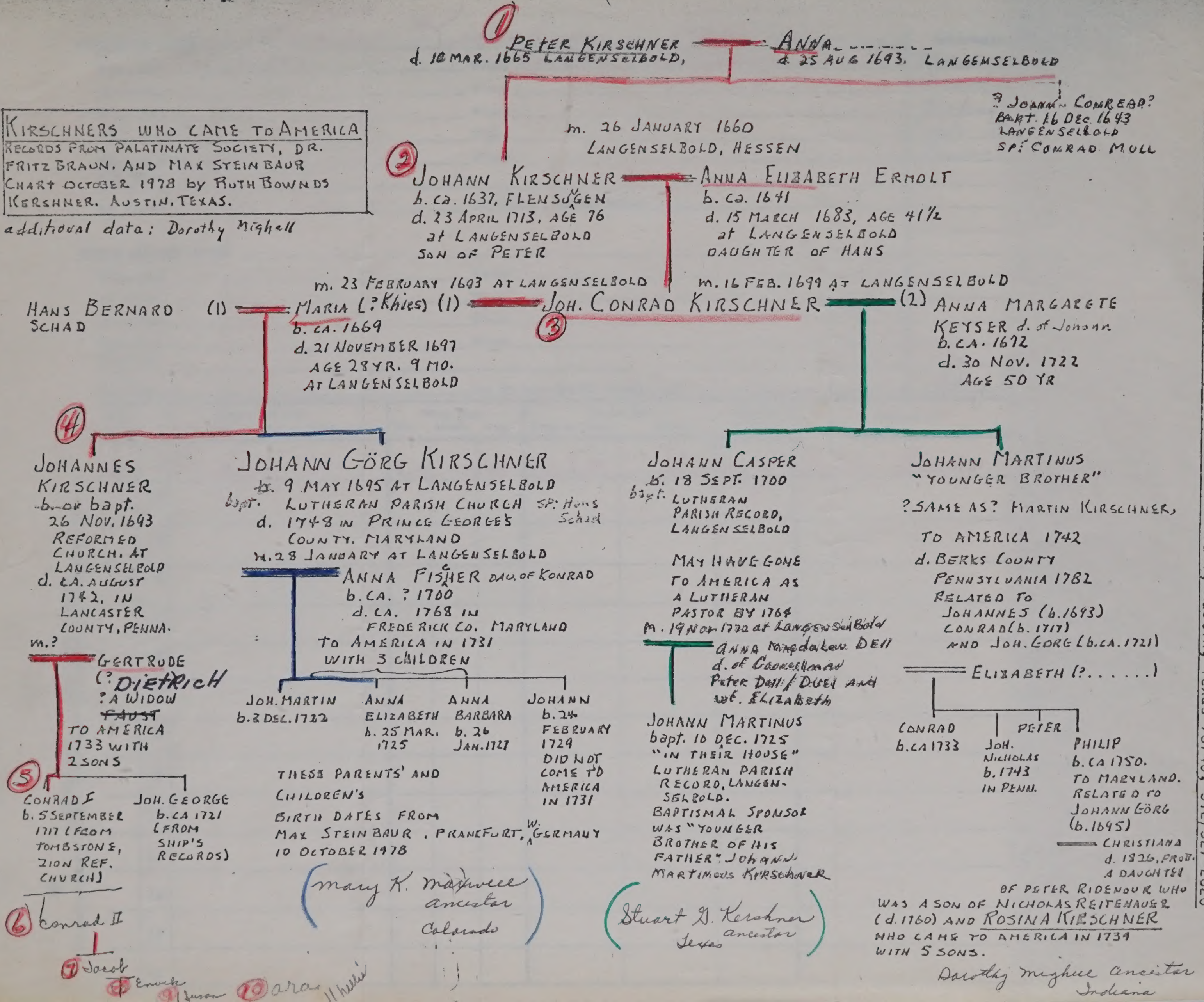

① PETER KIRSCHNER
d. 10 MAR. 1665 LANGENSELBOLD,

ANNA
d. 25 AUG 1693. LANGEMSELBOLD

? JOANN CONREAD?
BAPT. 16 DEC. 1643
LANGENSELBOLD
SP: CONRAD MULL

m. 26 JANUARY 1660
LANGENSELBOLD, HESSEN

② JOHANN KIRSCHNER
b. ca. 1637, FLENSUNGEN
d. 23 APRIL 1713, AGE 76
at LANGENSELBOLD
SON OF PETER

ANNA ELIZABETH ERMOLT
b. ca. 1641
d. 15 MARCH 1683, AGE 41½
at LANGENSELBOLD
DAUGHTER OF HANS

HANS BERNARD SCHAD (1)

m. 23 FEBRUARY 1693 AT LANGENSELBOLD

MARIA (? Khies) (1)
b. CA. 1669
d. 21 NOVEMBER 1697
AGE 28 YR. 9 MO.
AT LANGENSELBOLD

m. 16 FEB. 1699 AT LANGENSELBOLD

③ JOH. CONRAD KIRSCHNER

(2) ANNA MARGARETE KEYSER d. of Johann
b. CA. 1672
d. 30 NOV. 1722
AGE 50 YR

④ JOHANNES KIRSCHNER
~~b. or~~ bapt.
26 NOV. 1693
REFORMED CHURCH. AT LANGENSELBOLD
d. CA. AUGUST 1742, IN LANCASTER COUNTY, PENNA.

m.?

GERTRUDE
(? DIETRICH
? A WIDOW
~~FAUST~~
TO AMERICA 1733 WITH 2 SONS

⑤ CONRAD I
b. 5 SEPTEMBER 1717 (FROM TOMBSTONE, ZION REF. CHURCH)

JOH. GEORGE
b. CA 1721
(FROM SHIP'S RECORDS)

⑥ Conrad II

⑦ Jacob

⑧ Enoch

⑨ Susan

⑩ Aaron

11 Nellie

JOHANN GÖRG KIRSCHNER
~~b.~~ 9 MAY 1695 AT LANGENSELBOLD
bapt. LUTHERAN PARISH CHURCH SP: Hans Schad
d. 1748 IN PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND
m. 28 JANUARY AT LANGENSELBOLD

ANNA FISCHER DAU. OF KONRAD
b. CA. ? 1700
d. CA. 1768 IN FREDERICK CO. MARYLAND
TO AMERICA IN 1731
WITH 3 CHILDREN

JOH. MARTIN
b. 3 DEC. 1722

ANNA ELIZABETH
b. 25 MAR. 1725

ANNA BARBARA
b. 26 JAN. 1727

JOHANN
b. 24 FEBRUARY 1729
DID NOT COME TO AMERICA IN 1731

THESE PARENTS' AND CHILDREN'S BIRTH DATES FROM MAX STEINBAUR, FRANKFURT, W. GERMANY 10 OCTOBER 1978

(Mary K. Maxwell ancestor Colorado)

JOHANN CASPER
~~b.~~ 18 SEPT. 1700
bapt. LUTHERAN PARISH RECORD, LANGENSELBOLD

MAY HAVE GONE TO AMERICA AS A LUTHERAN PASTOR BY 1764
m. 19 Nov 1772 at Langenselbold

Anna Magdalena Dell
d. of [illegible]
Peter Dell / Duel and wf. Elizabeth

JOHANN MARTINUS
bapt. 10 DEC. 1725
"IN THEIR HOUSE"
LUTHERAN PARISH RECORD, LANGENSELBOLD.
BAPTISMAL SPONSOR WAS "YOUNGER BROTHER OF HIS FATHER" Johann Martinous Kirschner

(Stuart G. Kershner ancestor Texas)

JOHANN MARTINUS
"YOUNGER BROTHER"

? SAME AS? MARTIN KIRSCHNER,

TO AMERICA 1742
d. BERKS COUNTY PENNSYLVANIA 1782
RELATED TO
JOHANNES (b. 1693)
CONRAD (b. 1717)
AND JOH. GORG (b. CA. 1721)

ELIZABETH (? . . . . .)

CONRAD
b. CA 1733

JOH. NICHOLAS
b. 1743
IN PENN.

PETER

PHILIP
b. CA 1750.
TO MARYLAND.
RELATED TO JOHANN GÖRG (b. 1695)

CHRISTIANA
d. 1826, PROB. A DAUGHTER OF PETER RIDENOUR WHO WAS A SON OF NICHOLAS REITENAUER (d. 1760) AND ROSINA KIRSCHNER WHO CAME TO AMERICA IN 1734 WITH 5 SONS.

Dorothy Mighell ancestor Indiana

HUSBAND'S NAME Anders
Enders Kirschner G1
When Born Ca 1570 Where Herbstein, Germany
Christened ______ Where ______
When Died ______ Where ______
When Buried ______ Where ______
When Married ______ Where ______
Other Wives (if any) ______
His Father ______ His Mother's Maiden Name ______

WIFE'S MAIDEN NAME ______
When Born ______ Where ______
Christened ______ Where ______
When Died ______ Where ______
When Buried ______ Where ______
Other Husb. (if any) ______
Her Father ______ Her Mother's Maiden Name ______

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(my 10th great grandfather, N.M.C)

G1
Enders Kirschner
(Husband's Full Name)

(Wife's Maiden Name)

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Male or Female		CHILDREN (Arrange in order of birth)	When Born Day	Month	Year	Where Born Town or Place	County	State or Country	Married to	When Married Day	Month	Year	When Died* Day	Month	Year	Where Buried Town or Place	County	State or Country
M	1	Ludwig H1	Ca		1590	Herbstein, Germany			Anna Fuchs	23	3	1614			1657			Germany
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HUSBAND'S NAME Ludwig Kirschner H1
When Born Ca 1590 Where Herbstein, Germany
Christened Where
When Died by may 1657 Where Langenselbold, Hesse, Germany
When Buried Where
When Married march 23, 1614 Where
Other Wives (if any)
His Father Enders Kirschner His Mother's Maiden Name

WIFE'S MAIDEN NAME Anna Fuchs
When Born August 29, 1585 Where Langenselbold, Hesse, Germany
Christened Where
When Died December 3, 1657 Where
When Buried Where
Other Husb. (if any)
Her Father Anton Fuchs md 1584 Her Mother's Maiden Name Ursula Deynes

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my 9th grest. grandfather nmc

Ludwig Kirschner H1
(Husband's Full Name)
Anna Fuchs
(Wife's Maiden Name)

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m	1	Peter		ca	? 1615	Langenselbold	Hesse	, Germany	Anna Bauman	1	12	1637	10	3	1665			Germany
f	2	Gela	8	11	1618	"	"	"										
m	3	Hans	4	4	1620	"	"	"										
f	4	Elisabeth	15	12	1622	"	"	"	Peter Bloom	17	5	1657						
f	5	Juliane				"	"	"	martin Kraus	17	5	1658						
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HUSBAND'S NAME Peter Kirschner

When Born Ca 1615 Where Langenselbold, Hesse, Germany

Christened Where

When Died March 10 1665 Where Langenselbold, Hesse, Germany

When Buried Where

When Married December 1, 1637 Where Merlau, Germany

Other Wives (if any)

His Father Ludwig Kerschner His Mother's Maiden Name Anna Fuchs

WIFE'S MAIDEN NAME Anna Bauman, widow of Peter Bauman

When Born 1607 Where

Christened Where

When Died August 25, 1693 Where Langenselbold, Hesse, Germany

When Buried Where

Other Husb. (if any)

Her Father Her Mother's Maiden Name

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(Husband's Full Name)

Anna Bauman
(Wife's Maiden Name)

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M	1	Johann	2	12	1638	Stockhausen		Germany	anna Elisabeth Ermolt	26	1	1660	23	4	1713			Germany
M	2	Werner	9	1	1642	Langenselbold	Hesse	Germany										
M	3	Konrad	25	12	1643	"	"	"	Engel Ritter	11	1	1666	30	4	1674			
F	4	Elisabeth				"	"	"										
M	5	Georg	8	3	1646	Revalzhausen		Germany										
M	6	Hans Peter	12	11	1653	Langenselbold Hesse		Germany							1663			
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J1

HUSBAND'S NAME Johann Kirschner
When Born December 2, 1638 Where Stockhausen, Germany
Christened Where
When Died April 23, 1713 Where Langenselbold, Hesse, Germany
When Buried Where
When Married January 26, 1660 Where Langenselbold, Hesse, Germany
Other Wives (if any)
His Father Peter Kirschner His Mother's Maiden Name Anna Bauman

WIFE'S MAIDEN NAME Anna Elisabeth Ermolt
When Born November 14, 1641 Where Langenselbold, Hesse, Germany
Christened Where
When Died March 15, 1683 Where Langenselbold, Hesse, Germany
When Buried Where
Other Husb. (if any)
Her Father Hans Ermolt Her Mother's Maiden Name Anna Hinkel

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J1

Johann Kirschner
(Husband's Full Name)

Anna Elisabeth Ermolt
(Wife's Maiden Name)

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F	1	Anna Elisabeth			1660	Langenselbold	Hesse	Germany										
F	2	Elisabeth	8	11	1663													
F	3	Anna	25	2	1665													
F	4	Mara	4	11	1666													
M	5	Johan Konrad	14	11	1669	Langenselbold Hesse,	Germany		Maria Kniess Schad	23	2	1693	26	4	1746		Germany	
M	6	Henrich	21	7	1671					7	1	1697						
F	7	Magdalena	23	9	1675								26	9	1675			
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Anna Elisabeth Ermoet
daughter of Hans Ermolt and Anna Hinkel daughter of Nichlos Hinkel
md May 16, 1663

B. March 30, 1603
D Nov 24, 1672
son of Nichlos Ermoet & Anna Lochman
dau. of Heim Lochman

K5

HUSBAND'S NAME Johan Konrad Kirschner
When Born November 14, 1669 Where Langenselbold, Hesse, Germany
Christened ______ Where ______
When Died April 26, 1746 Where Langenselbold, Hesse, Germany
When Buried ______ Where ______
When Married February 23, 1693 Where Langenselbold, Hesse, Germany
Other Wives (if any) ② Anna Margaut Keypar B 1692 D 1722 daughter of John Keypar
His Father Johan Kirschner His Mother's Maiden Name Anna Elisabeth Ermolt

WIFE'S MAIDEN NAME Maria Kniess Schad, widow of Hans Schad
When Born February 28 1669 Where Langenselbold, Hesse, Germany
Christened ______ Where ______
When Died November 21, 1697 Where ______
When Buried ______ Where ______
Other Husb. (if any) ① Hans Schad, md 1690 had son Johan Peter Schad
Her Father Kasper Kniess Her Mother's Maiden Name Anna Roth

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K5
Johan Konrad Kirschner
(Husband's Full Name)
Maria Kniess Schad
(Wife's Maiden Name)
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M	1	Johannes	26	11	1693	Langenselbold Hesse		Germany	Gertrud Dietrich Schuffert	11	2	1717	Pennsylvania	9	1742	Wain Church Cemetery Berks Co, Pennsylvania		
M	2	Johan Georg	9	5	1695	"	"	"	Anna Fischer	28	1	1722	Maryland by april		1768			Maryland
	3	(1st wife Marie died in 1697 and Johan married																
	4	Anna Margaut Keypar, Feb. 16, 1699)																
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M	6	Johan Kasper	18	9	1700	Langenselbold, Hesse		Germany	Anna Margaret Döll	19	11	1731	8	4	1765			Germany
M	7	Johan Martin	4	11	1703	"	"	"	* Anna Elizabeth Schuffert	Germany 26	11	1732	Berks Co. Pa		1782	Bern Reformed Church Berks Co, Pennsylvania		
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	11	This family explains the "3 brothers who came to America" mystery																
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* Anna Elisabeth Schuffert md Johan Martin Kerschner B 1703
daughter of
Gertrud Dietrich Schuffert md Johannes Kerschner B 1693

↑ half brothers

1. Johannes K. b 1693 - to America Aug 27, 1733 on Ship "Elizabeth of London"
(Nellie Covry ancestor)

full brothers

2. Georg b 1695 - to America August 17, 1731 on Ship "Samuel"
(Mary Kershner Maxwell ancestor)
1622 West St Vrain, Colorado Springs, Col. 80904

3. Kasper b 1700 stayed in Germany

full brothers

4. Martin b 1703 to America Sept. 21, 1742 on Ship "Francis + Elizabeth"
(Dorothy Mighill ancestor)
122 Welcome Way dr
apt 305 B Indianapolis, Ind 46224

died 1983

L0001 to america, August 27, 1733
Ship "Elizabeth of London".

HUSBAND'S NAME Johannes Kirschner
When Born November 26, 1693 Where Langenselbold, Hesse, Germany
Christened ______ Where ______
When Died by Sept 10, 1742 Where Berks Co, Pennsylvania
When Buried Hain Church Where Berks Co, Pa.
When Married February 11 1717 Where Langenselbold, Hesse, Germany
Other Wives (if any) ______
His Father Johan Konrad Kirschner His Mother's Maiden Name Maria Kniess Schad

WIFE'S MAIDEN NAME Gertrud Dietrich Schuffert
When Born November 17, 1683 Where Langenselbold, Hesse, Germany
Christened ______ Where ______
When Died April 6, 1786 Where ______
When Buried Hain Church Where Berks Co, Pennsylvania
Other Husb. (if any) (1) Joseph Schuffert - divorced in Germany
Her Father Joh Georg Dietrich Her Mother's Maiden Name Katherina Ruger

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Gertrud Dietrich Schuffert
(Wife's Maiden Name)

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			Day	Month	Year	Town or Place	County	State or Country		Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year	Town or Place	County	State or Country
M	1	Joh Conrad F	15	9	1717	Langenselbold Hesse		Germany	Catherine Bek				21	4	1791	Zion Refarmed church near Hamburg	Berks Co	Pa
M	2	Joh Peter	15	10	1719	"	"	"	—				29	12	1725			Germany
F	3	Anna	15	5	1722	"	"	"	—				26	12	1722			Germany
M	4	Georg	15	5	1722	"	"	"	Maria Margarete ?				before 12	9	1768	old part of Zion church windsor twp	Berks Co	Pa.
F	5	Phillipina	20	8	1724	"	"	"	—				12	6	1725			Germany
F	6	Anna Katherine	5	11	1727	"	"	"										
	7																	
	8	The Kirschner Family Church memberships are recorded in the Reformed church of Langenselbold, Hesse, Germany.																
	9	They Came to America, August 27, 1733 on Ship "Elizabeth of London", Captain Edward Lee, Jr from Rotterdam																
	10	Holland out of Dover, England. They were Naturalized the same day by Lt. Gov. Patrick Gordon, Philadelphia, Pa.																
	11	Settled in Berks Co, Pa. then Called Lancaster Co.																
	12	(Berks Co. was formed in 1752 from Lancaster, Philadelpha & Chester Counties)																
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Martin - Dietrich - Kirschner Line

1. Werner Martin - dead by Feb. 25. 1628
md by nov. 1606
Engel - d. nov 4, 1611

2. Anna Martin b. nov 4, 1611
md Feb. 25, 1628
Hans Georg Dietrich b Sept 7, 1606
son of Hans + Anna Becher, d of Heinz Becher

3. Heinrich Dietrich b. Feb 24. 1630
md D 1680
Margaritha b ca 1625
D Jan 18, 1681

4. Joh George Dietrich b Dec. 25, 1657
md Feb 26, 1680 D nov 25, 1703
Katherina Ruger dau of Hans Ruger
1. Kasper b June 21. 1682
2. Gertrud b nov. 17, 1683 bapt "agertrud"
3. Helene

5. Gertrud Dietrich b. nov 17, 1683 Germany
D April 6, 1786 Pa.

md
1. Joseph Schuffert (divorced) in Germany
2. Johannes Kirschner

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HUSBAND'S NAME

When Born Where

Christened Where

When Died Where

When Buried Where

When Married Where

Other Wives (if any)
Number (1) (2) etc.

His Father His Mother's Maiden Name

(Husband's Full Name)

(Wife's Maiden Name)

This information obtained from

WIFE'S MAIDEN NAME

When Born Where

Christened Where

When Died Where

When Buried Where

Other Husb. (if any)
Number (1) (2) etc.

Her Father Her Mother's Maiden Name

Date

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I M0001 Came to America Aug. 27, 1733 Ship "Elizabeth of London"

M0001

HUSBAND'S NAME Conrad Kirschner

When Born September 15, 1717 Where Langenselbold, Hesse, Germany

Christened Where

When Died April 21, 1791 Where Berks Co, Pa.

When Buried Zion Reformed. Where between Shoemakersville + windsor Castle Berks Co. Pa

When Married Ca 1742 Where Berks Co. Pa

Other Wives (if any)

His Father Johannes Kirschner His Mother's Maiden Name Gertrud Dietrich Schuffert

WIFE'S MAIDEN NAME Catherine Bek Came to America Sept. 28, 1733 Ship "Richmond + Elizabith"

When Born June 6, 1723 Where Germany

Christened Where

When Died Where

When Buried Zion Reformed Church Where between Shoemakersville + windsor Castle Berks Co. Pa

Other Husb. (if any)

Her Father Matthias Bek Her Mother's Maiden Name Engel —

Information on this sheet obtained from

Kirshner Families of Maryland. Vol. 1, 2 + 3. Ships Records.

"Rupps 30,000 Immigrants".

Montgomery "History of Berks Co. Pa page 344

Conrad Kirschner I
(Husband's Full Name)

Catherine Bek
(Wife's Maiden Name)

Date 1984

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Address 302 Maple box 73

City Haviland State Ohio 45851

* Ancestor of Jean Gurney Rigler (Mrs Robert G. Rigler) 2117 Piwaii, Honolulu, Hawaii 96822

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M	1	Conrad II	1	8	1744	Perry twp	Berks Co	Pa.	Catherine "Kate" Reiser or Ressor	Ca.		1768	13	9	1813	Zion windsor	Castle, Berks Co,	Pa
M	2	Andon	1	7	1746	"	"	"	Philabina Raver or Raber	24	3	1772	4	4	1809	Ballmans Church Centerport, Pa.		
F	3	Elizabeth	1	11	1747	windsor twp	Berks Co	Pa	Thomas Reber				22	12	1817 1823	old Northkill Cemetery west of Reading, Pa.		
M	4	* Peter	9	4	1749	"	"	"	Catherine Faust				18	4	1812	Ebenezer Church Lehigh Co,	New Tripoli	Pa
M	5	Mathias	22	7	1751	"	"	"	Magdalena Faust		ca	1780	27	8	1833			
F	6	Philipina	20	9	1753	"	"	"	Michael Fenstermacher				22	3	1837	Ebenezer Church Lehigh co	New Tripoli	Pa
M	7	John	2	4	1756	"	"	"	Sarah or Susan Reber				19	8	1810	Peters Cemetery Schuylkill	Co, Fredensberg,	Pa
F	8	Maria Margareth	20	2	1757	"	"	"	George Hinkel							Zion Church Berks	Co	Pa
M	9	Jeremias	10	8	1758	"	"	"	Margaret —						1804	Red Church Schuylkill Co,		
M	10	George	30	9	1760	"	"	"	Sarah or Catherine Faust					ca	1804			
M	11	Martin	27	7	1762	"	"	"	1. Lydia 2. Mary Mouser					11	1826			
M	12	Jonathan	18	2	1764	"	"	"	Catherine Anspach				7	6	1836	St Johns Church Schuylkill	Co, Fredenberg,	Pa
F	13	Mary Engel	ca 5	8	1766	"	"	"	George Bussard or Backert							Friedens Church Schuylkill	Co, New Ringgold,	Pa
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Bek - Kirschner Line

Matthias Bek
1694 – 1769
wife Ingel —
1696 – 1789
daughter Catherine b June 6, 1723 Germany
md Conrad Kirschner I

The Beks arrived in America, September 28, 1733
on the Brigateen "Richmond & Elizabeth"
Capt. Chris Clymer, Philadelphia from Rotterdam Holland,
out of Plymouth England.
Affirmed allegiance so must have been Quakers.

Pa. Archives, Ser. 2 Vol 17

HUSBAND'S NAME

When Born Where

Christened Where

When Died Where

When Buried Where

When Married Where

Other Wives (if any)

His Father His Mother's Maiden Name

WIFE'S MAIDEN NAME

When Born Where

Christened Where

When Died Where

When Buried Where

Other Husb. (if any)

Her Father Her Mother's Maiden Name

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(Wife's Maiden Name)

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HUSBAND'S NAME Conrad Kershner II N0001
When Born August 1, 1744 Where Perry twp, Berks Co, Pa
Christened August 12, 1744 Where Moselem Church, Berks Co, Pa
When Died 1813 Where
When Buried Zion Church Where Windsor Castle, Berks Co, Pa.
When Married Ca 1768 Where
Other Wives (if any)
His Father Conrad Kirschner I His Mother's Maiden Name Catherine Bek

WIFE'S MAIDEN NAME Catherine "Kate" Resser or Reiser
When Born Ca 1745 Where Switzerland ?
Christened Where
When Died 1840 Where
When Buried Zion Church Where Windsor Castle, Berks Co. Pa.
Other Husb. (if any)
Her Father John Resser or Reiser Her Mother's Maiden Name Elizabeth Levan

Information on this sheet obtained from
Oath of Allegiance
May 13, 1778
original book of
Allegiance, Vol. D
page 44

Captain of Seventh Co.
of Foot, 3rd Battalion
of Berks Co, Pa Militia
May 1, 1789

D.A.R. # 612953 - October 15, 1976 - Isaac Van Wart Chapter
Van Wert, Ohio
45891
Nellie Gunderman Covey

N0001
Conrad Kershner II
(Husband's Full Name)
Catherine "Kate" Resser
(Wife's Maiden Name)

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45851

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M	1	00001 Conrad III	20	9	1770	Heidelberg twp Berks Co.		Pa	Anna Maria Hize	8	4	1792	31	5	1850	Zion Church Cemetery Windsor Castle, Berks Co. Pa		
M	2	00002 Daniel		1	1773	"	"	"	1. Mary Davis 2. Nancy Ann —				7	5	1852	Old Lutheran Cemetery Ross Co, Adelphia, Ohio		
M	3	00003 Jacab	27	4	1775	Heidelberg Berks Co.		Pa	Mary Magdalene Dunkelberger	11	3	Pa. 1800	22	4	1863	Green Summit Cemetery Ross Co, Adelphi, Ohio		
M	4	00004 Anthony	4	4	1777	"	"	"	————				30	9	1778	Hain Church Cemetery		Pa.
F	5	00005 Elizabeth	5	1	1779	"	"	"	Charles Shoemaker Jr	22	11	1801	24	5	1849	Zion Church		
F	6	00006 Catherine	3	4	1781	"	"	"	Jacab Merkel.		Ca	1803	24	1	1870	Moselem Church Richmond twp, Berks Co. Pa		
F	7	00007 Maria/Mary	23	4	1784	"	"	"	John Staudt									
M	8	00008 John }	27	2	1789	"	"	"	Catherine Hartz				10	12	1863			
F	9	00009 Susanna }	27	2	1789	"	"	"	John Dreibilbis				29	3	1866			
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Levan, Reiser, Kershner Line

1. Daniel Levan md Marie Beau

2. Abraham Levan md Catherine Wemer - dau. of — Wermer + anna m. Harcourt
b. May 20, 1698 Amsterdam Holland
D. April 21, 1769 Berks Co. Pa
b. Feb, 20, 1706 France
D. Sept. 29, 1768 Berks Co. Pa.

3. Elizabeth Levan b. June 20, 1725 Oley twp, Berks Co. Pa
D. before 1720 Maidencreek twp, Berks Co. Pa.
md
John Reiser, son of Jacob
"Big John"
b. 1728 Switzerland
D. will probated Nov. 25, 1793 Berks Co. Pa.

4. Catherine "Kate" Reiser
b. Ca 1745
md Conrad Kershner II

HUSBAND'S NAME ____________________

When Born ____________________ Where ____________________

Christened ____________________ Where ____________________

When Died ____________________ Where ____________________

When Buried ____________________ Where ____________________

When Married ____________________ Where ____________________

Other Wives (if any) Number (1) (2) etc. ____________________

His Father ____________________ His Mother's Maiden Name ____________________

WIFE'S MAIDEN NAME ____________________

When Born ____________________ Where ____________________

Christened ____________________ Where ____________________

When Died ____________________ Where ____________________

When Buried ____________________ Where ____________________

Other Husb. (if any) Number (1) (2) etc. ____________________

Her Father ____________________ Her Mother's Maiden Name ____________________

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(Husband's Full Name)

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(Wife's Maiden Name)

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00003 Came to Ohio june 6, 1807

HUSBAND'S NAME Jacob Karshner
When Born April 27, 1775 Where Heidelberg twp, Berks Co, Pa
Christened June 11, 1775 Where Hain Church, Berks Co, Pa
When Died April 22, 1863 Where Ross Co, Ohio
When Buried Green Summit Where adelphi, Ross Co, Ohio
When Married march 11, 1800 Where Pennsylvania
Other Wives (if any)
His Father Conrad Kershner II His Mother's Maiden Name Catherine "Kate" Reiser

WIFE'S MAIDEN NAME Mary Magdalene Dunkelberger
When Born January 12, 1778 Where Berks Co, Pa.
Christened Where
When Died May 20, 1865 Where Ross Co, Ohio
When Buried Green Summit Where adelphi, Ross Co, Ohio
Other Husb. (if any)
Her Father Clementz Dunkelberger II Her Mother's Maiden Name anna maria Gartner

Information on this sheet obtained from
1850-1860 Census
Colerain twp, Ross Co, Ohio.
Family Came to Ohio by team + wagons, along with Jacobs brother Daniel + family and sister mary + family.
Jacob in war of 1812, served under Lt. Thomas C. Nutter Co, July 29 – August 17, 1813
Roster of Ohio Soldiers in war of 1812 - page 284 CASNER

No death records on file for Jacob or Mary.

00003
Jacob Karshner
(Husband's Full Name)
Mary Magdalene Dunkelberger
(Wife's Maiden Name)

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City Haviland State Ohio 45851

Male or Female		CHILDREN (Arrange in order of birth)	When Born Day	Month	Year	Where Born Town or Place	County	State or Country	Married to	When Married Day	Month	Year	When Died* Day	Month	Year	Where Buried Town or Place	County	State or Country
M	1	Enoch	20	2	1801	Berks Co		Pa	Sabina Collison	Clark 23	Co, 10	Ohio 1830	23	5	1883	Green adelphi,	Summit Ross Co,	Ohio
m	2	Jacob Jr	6	1	1802	"	"	"	Mary Flanigan	13	3	1831	7	7	1898	"	"	"
f	3	Catherine	10	10	1804	"	"	"	Jacob S. Defenbaugh	8	7	1824	24	3	1837			
f	4	Elizabeth "aunt Bet"	25	9	1806	"	"	"					20	2	1894			
m	5	Samuel				Ross Co	, adelphi	Ohio	Rachael Moore?							Tarleton Tarleton	Cemetery , Pickaway Co	, Ohio
f	6	Margaret.				"	"	"	Killion H. Dunkel	4	12	1828	before		1892	Green adelphi,	Summit Ross Co,	Ohio
m	7	John "Railroad John"	23	2	1815	"	"	"	Phoebe Sevinhart	5	12	1872	5	5	1909	"	"	"
f	8	Susannah }	18	8	1816	"	"	"	Thomas Evans	6	5	1838	before		1909			
f	9	Mary M "aunt Poll" }	18	8	1816	"	"	"					19	8	1901			
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I to america in 1728
Ship "Martonhouse"

HUSBAND'S NAME Clementz (Clemens) Dunkelberger

When Born ____ ~~Where~~ Kingdom of Wurttemberg, Germany
Christened ____ Where ____
When Died will probated april 18, 1782 Where ____
When Buried ____ Where ____
When Married ____ Where ____
Other Wives (if any) ____
His Father ____ His Mother's Maiden Name ____

WIFE'S MAIDEN NAME Anna Maria Hauer

When Born ____ Where ____
Christened ____ Where ____
When Died ____ Where ____
When Buried ____ Where ____
Other Husb. (if any) ____
Her Father John Michael Hauer Her Mother's Maiden Name ____

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arrived in America
august 28, 1728 Philadelphia
Pa. from Germany, down
the Rhine River to Holland,
by English Ship
"Martonhouse".
Land warrents in
Windsor Twp Berks Co. Pa

Compiler – Mrs Glen P. Schwalm
* 920 West Main
Valley View, Pa. 17983

Clementz Dunkelberger I
(Husband's Full Name)

Anna Maria Hauer
(Wife's Maiden Name)

Date 1984
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City Haviland State Ohio 45851

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M	1	Clementz II				windsor twp Berks	Co.	Pa.	Anna Maria Gortner						1801			
F	2	Mary						"	John Derk									
F	3	Catherine						"	Andrew Wenninger									
M	4	John *	28	9	1745	windsor twp Berks	Co.	Pa	1. Anna M. Rentschler 2. Elizabeth Kabel Darnsife				27	11	1818			
M	5	Frederick			1747			"	Catherine Hauer						1815	Little Mahanoy Twp	Northumberland Co	Pa
M	6	Christopher			1749			"	1. Elizabeth Hice 2. Catherine Reichwott						1835	buried on family farm		
F	7	Elizabeth						"	Michael Dirk									
M	8	Philip						"	Catherine						1821			
F	9	Sevilla						"	Jacob Shaffer									
F	10	Magdalena						"	Christian Ferster John Swinhart									
F	11	Dorothea						"										
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Great, Great, Great, Great Grandfather Dunkelberger NC

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great, great, great grandfather nc

HUSBAND'S NAME Clementz (clemens) Dunkelberger II

When Born ________ Where Windsor twp, Berks Co. Pa

Christened ________ Where ________

When Died 1801 Where Berks Co. Pa

When Buried Zion Church or family farm Where Windsor twp - Berks Co. Pa

When Married ________ Where Windsor twp - Berks Co. Pa

Other Wives (if any) ________

His Father Clementz Dunkelberger I His Mother's Maiden Name Anna Maria Hauer

WIFE'S MAIDEN NAME Anna Maria Gortner

When Born January 11, 1752 Where ________

Christened ________ Where ________

When Died September 1821 Where ________

When Buried St Peter German Reformed Where Perry Co. Landisberg, Pa

Other Husb. (if any) ________

Her Father ________ Her Mother's Maiden Name ________

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Rev. War Berks Co. Pa
Militia

Mrs Glen P. Schwalm
920 West Main
Valley View, Pa. 17983
and
Elaine Ruth Gano *
309 E. Bow drive
Cherokee, Iowa 51012
DAR # 587022

Clementz Dunkelberger II
(Husband's Full Name)

Anna Maria Gortner
(Wife's Maiden Name)

Date 1984
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F	1	Anna Maria			1772				Joh Peter Fetheroff						1853	Salems Cemetery Mahantongo twp	Schuylkill Co,	Pa
M	2	Jonathan			1774				Mary Elizabeth Welsh ?						1844	St. Peters German Reformed Landisberg,	Perry Co	Pa
M	3	John			1775				Catherine Sontag						1857	St. Peter German Reformed Perry Co,	Landisburg	, Pa
F	4	Mary Magdalene	12	1	1778	Berks	Co	Pa	Jacob Karshner	11	3	1800	20	5	1865	Green Summit Cemetery Ross Co,	adelphi,	Ohio
F	5	Christina Dorothea			1783				John Stetzer				~~20~~		1833	Mifflinburg Cemetery Union Co,	Mifflinburg	Pa
M	6	David *	31	10	1784				Susanna Suttenberg	1	6	1803	1	9	1850	St. Peters German Reformed Landisburg,	Perry	Co. Pa
F	7	Susannah			1787				Conrad Moee						1862	Mifflinburg Mifflinburg,	Union	Co, Pa
M	8	Benjamin			1793				Elizabeth Harman						1867	Dysinger Corners Cemetery Lockport,	Niagara	Co, N.Y.
M	9	Soloman			1795				1. Christina Harman 2. Barbara Cooney ?						1854	Schaeffers Cemetery Lockport,	Niagara	Co, N.Y.
M	10	Jacob }	(nothing know of these two						but both are						~~1857~~			
F	11	Catherine }	listed in land partitions						of Northumberland Co Pa)									
	12																	
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Great, Great, Great Grandfather Dunkelberger nc

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Farmer

HUSBAND'S NAME Abraham Kissinger

When Born ______ Where ______

Christened ______ Where ______

When Died Nov 1807 Where Dauphin Co, Penn.

When Buried ______ Where ______

When Married Sept 16, 1766 Where Trinity Lutheran Church, Reading Pa

Other Wives (if any) Number (1) (2) etc. ______

His Father Jacob Kissinger His Mother's Maiden Name ______

WIFE'S MAIDEN NAME Mary Catherine Schaeffer

When Born August 25, 1739 Where Berks Co, Pa

Christened ______ Where ______

When Died ______ Where ______

When Buried ______ Where ______

Other Husb. (if any) Number (1) (2) etc. ______

Her Father Jacob Schaeffer Her Mother's Maiden Name Maria Barbara Fobel

Abraham Kissinger
(Husband's Full Name)

Mary Catherine Schaeffer
(Wife's Maiden Name)

This information obtained from

Mrs George Laughlin
R#1, Box 37, Kirksville Mo. 63501
(descendent of John Huffman (son of Jacob) born 1781.

Patsy M. Kishler - 407 Hubert ave
Lancaster, Oh 43130

Date 1981

Compiler Nellie M Covey

Address ______

City ______ State ______

Male or Female		CHILDREN (Arrange in order of birth)	WHEN BORN Day Month Year	WHERE BORN Town or Place County	State or Country	WHEN DIED* Day Month Year	Married
M	1	John Jacob	Dec 1 1766	Berks Co	Pa.	Feb 20 1774	Date To
F	2	Elizabeth	Nov 1768			Dec 12 1830	Date To Elias Buffington
M	3	Abraham	Nov 8 1770				Date To
F	4	Susanna	May 20 1773		Pa	June 20 1835 Fairfield Co, Oh	Date To Jacob Hoffman
M	5	Johannes George	May 20 1775			Dec 16 1858	Date June 15, 1800 To Catherine Heber
M	6	John	Dec 1 1776			1846	Date To Elizabeth Klinger
F	7	Anna Maria	March 23 1780			before 1807	Date Nov 10 1799 To John Sallada
	8						Date To
	9						Date To
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Kissinger
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HUSBAND'S NAME Jacob Hoffman

Came to USA around 1770 - Soldier in Rev. war

When Born March 6, 1752 Where Germany
Christened Where
When Died March 1, 1839 Where Clearcreek twp, Fairfield Co, Ohio
When Buried Where
When Married May 6, 1776 1st ?? Where Philadelphia Pa
Other Wives (if any) Number (1) (2) etc. ① Catherine Jung married German Reformed Church - Philadelphia, Pa.
His Father His Mother's Maiden Name

WIFE'S MAIDEN NAME ② wife Susannah Kissinger
When Born May 20, 1773 Where Pa
Christened Where
When Died June 2, 1835 Where Clearcreek twp, Fairfield Co, Ohio
When Buried Tarlton Cemetery Where Pickaway Co, Ohio
Other Husb. (if any) Number (1) (2) etc.
Her Father Abraham Kissinger Her Mother's Maiden Name Maria Catherine Schaeffer

Jacob Huffman
(Husband's Full Name)

(Wife's Maiden Name)

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Male or Female	CHILDREN (Arrange in order of birth)	WHEN BORN Day Month Year	WHERE BORN Town or Place	County	State or Country	WHEN DIED* Day Month Year	Married
	1 John	July 14 1781	~~Pa~~		Pa	June 25, 1875 Vigo Co, Ind	Date To Barbara Harpster
	2 Jacob Jr	Nov. 12, 1783			Pa	Feb 1, 1863 Fairfield Co, Ohio	Date To Isabella —
	3 George John	May 1, 1785			Pa ?	Oct 8, 1846 Pickaway Co Oh	Date To Mary Harpster
	4 Susanna						Date Sept 19, 1817 - Fairfield Co, Ohio To Jacob Hoel
	5 Catherine "Kitty" "Kity"	Aug 4 1793	Dauphin Co ?		Pa		Date April 12, 1818 - Ohio To John Foust
	6 Daniel -	1790			Pa	Dec 28, 1846 Fairfield Co, Oh	Date Sept 20, 1823 Fairfield Co, Oh To Margaret "Peggy" Seidner
	7 Frederick	1799			Pa	1835 Ohio	Date To ② Catherine Coons
	8 Jonathan	Ca 1802			Pa		Date July 20, 1823 F. Co Ohio To Mary Loy
	9 Abraham	Sept 24, 1804	Beaver twp Union Co		Pa	Nov 7, 1892	Date To Shaeffer
	10 Andrew	1804			Pa		Date Jan 26, 1833 Hocking Co, Oh To Sarah Loy
	11 Simon	1806	Fairfield Co		Ohio		Date June 14, 1833 Pickaway Co Oh To Catherine Densel
	12 Samuel	Aug 26 1807	"		Ohio	April 2, 1890 Fairfield Co, Oh	Date Sept 5, 1836 Fairfield Co, Ohio To Catherine Kramer
	13 Jonas	March 31 181~~7~~	"		Ohio	May 2 1898	Date Nov 4, 1837 To Emily/Anna Fausnaugh
	14 Mary Ann / Anna Miriah	Nov 27 1814	Fairfield Co		Ohio	Dec 31, 1872 Hocking Co Ohio	Date April 2, 1835 To Andrew Reid

Jacob has distilling and trading house in Tarlton

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15 - Rosanna md Isaac Schaeffer
Jan 7, 1837
Fairfield Co, Ohio

16. Barbara md Jacob Fausnaugh
Nov 4, 1837
Fairfield Co, Ohio

From - Dept of Records - City of Philadelphia, Pa. Nov. 21, 1771

"Jacob Hoffman apprenticed to William Young of Kingsessing (?) twp Philadelphia Co
for 25 pounds and passage. Indenture 3½ yrs - expired 1775"

Jacob supposedly served with George Washington - story about
Jacob's son John sitting on Washington's lap and of Washington
giving John his first shoes.

From - Pennsylvania German Pioneers by Strassberger

List 290C at Mess^{rs} Willing & Morris's Store at Philadelphia Nov 19, 1771
present George Bryan, Esquire

The foreigners whose names are underwritten
imported in the Ship Tyger, George Johnson, master, from
Rotterdam / but last from Cowes, did this day take and
subscribe the foregoing oats and qualifications.

Jacob Hoffman
Nicholas (X) Hoffman

HUSBAND'S NAME Johnathan Hoffman-Huffman - brother of anna miras Huffman Reid
When Born Ca 1802 Where
Christened Where
When Died Where
When Buried Where
When Married July 20, 1823 Where Fairfield Co, Ohio
Other Wives (if any) Number (1) (2) etc.
His Father ~~Jacob Huffman~~ His Mother's Maiden Name Susanna Kissinger

WIFE'S MAIDEN NAME Mary Loy
When Born Where
Christened Where
When Died Where
When Buried Where
Other Husb. (if any) Number (1) (2) etc.
Her Father Her Mother's Maiden Name

(Husband's Full Name)

(Wife's Maiden Name)

This information obtained from
from papers of
Aunt Ella Reids - Mohr
Louck, (moms sister)

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M	1 Jacob						Date To
M	2 Fred						Date To
M	3 Daniel						Date To Tillie ?
M	4 Johnathan						Date To Tillie — ?
F	5 Leah						Date To Hoy
F	6 Lizzie						Date To allen
F	7 Mary						Date To Sam Karshner
F	8 Sarah						Date To Wilson
F	9 Lucinda						Date To Thomas Febus
	10 ~~Thomas~~						Date To
	11						Date To
	12						Date To
	13						Date To
	14		(over)				Date To

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#3 Daniel Huffman md Tillie ?
1. Jacob
2. Julia md George Calvert
3 Enoch
4. Pet
5. Ella

#7- Mary Huffman md Sam Karshner
1. Jacob
2. William
3 Wallace
4. Bruce
5. Samuel
6. Frank

#9 - Lucinda Huffman md Thomas Febus
1. Burt
2. Mary md Delno Johnson
3. William
4. Charley
5. Samuel
lived south of Van Wert, Ohio